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WILTON.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Miller on Wednesday evening last. There was a large number present ; goods have been purchased and the work has been started for the bazaar which is to be held in the fall.

Mrs. Walter Compton, who has been confined to the Kingston General Hospital for an operation for appendicitis, has returned home.

Mr. Sim. Storms, who is on the sick list, is not much improved.

All were sorry to hear that Mrs. Robert Miller, a former resident of this place, underwent a serious operation last week. All her friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Charles Stover is spending a few days with friends in Morven.

Mrs. C. Booth, Toronto, and her daughter, Marjorie, of Queen's University, are spending a couple of weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Sperry Shibley.

Mr. Shibley Neilson, of Quenn's is spending his holidays at home.

Mrs. Birdsall is very ill at the home of her brother, Harvey Mills.

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COURT OF REVISION.

A meeting of the Court of Revision for the village of Bath, will be held at the Town Hall, on Monday, May 26th, at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m., to hear and decide all appeals against the Assessment Roll of the said village, for the year 1924.

E. P. SHEPHARD,
Village Clerk.

Bath, May 12th, 1924.

COURT OF REVISION.

Township of Richmond.

A Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll for the Township of Richmond, will be held at the Town Hall, Selby, on Monday, June 2nd, at 10.30 a.m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the said Roll. All persons interested in the said Court will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

H. A. WOOD,
Township Clerk.

COURT OF REVISION.

Municipality of Denbigh, Abinger and Ashby

A Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll for the Municipality of Denbigh, Abinger and Ashby, will be held at the Denbigh House, in the village of Denbigh, on Monday, May 26th, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of hearing and deciding upon all complaints against the said Roll.

All persons having business at the said Court will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

PAUL STEIN,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1924.

PROCLAMATION

As the regular statutory holidays of Victoria Day (May 24th) and the King's Birthday (June 3rd) come in so close proximity, it is deemed advisable that one holiday only be observed, and that the date be fixed for Monday, May 26th.

I do therefore, by virtue of the powers vested in me as Mayor of the Town of Napanee, proclaim

MONDAY, MAY 26TH, 1924, as a PUBLIC HOLIDAY

in and for the Town of Napanee.

And I do call upon all citizens in the Town of Napanee to loyally observe the same.

ALEXANDER MacGREGOR,
Mayor.

Dated May 15th, 1924.

TOWN COUNCIL

Council Chamber,
May 19th, 1924.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening, Mayor A. MacGregor in the chair.

Present—Councillors Simpson, Dunbar, Jewell, [illegible], Paul and Burgess.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and confirmed.

Coun. Jewell, chairman of Town Property Committee, reported that he had the eavetroughing on the Public Library repaired and cleaned.

Report adopted.

Moved by Coun. Simpson, seconded by Coun. Burgess, that the Mayor and Reeve be empowered to take the necessary steps to secure the use of the offices now occupied by Wm. [illegible] in the town hall. Carried.

Council adjourned.

ADOLPHUSTOWN MINUTES

Council met as per statute to hold Court of Revision.

Members all present except Mr. Robertson and after taking oath of office, ook their seats, the Reeve in the chair.

Moved by J. J. Garvin, seconded by G. Chalmers, that assessment on buildings of Jas. Bird be lowered from $900 to [illegible]. Carried.

Moved by S. Mack, seconded by G. Chalmers, that [illegible] Miller's assessment of $561.[illegible] be lowered to $100.00 on account of selling three lots to Madden, Schuster & Madden. Carried.

Moved by G. Chalmers, seconded by S. Mack, that Madden, Schuster & Madden be assessed to amount of $1075.00 on their summer cottages and land on Thompson's Point. Carried.

Moved by J. J. Garvin, seconded by S. Mack, that appeal of R. A. Williams against assessment be sustained. Carried.

Moved by J. J. Garvin, seconded by G. Chalmers, that this Court of Revision adjourn. Carried.

Council met at 1.30.

Moved by J. J. Garvin, seconded by G. Chalmers, that minutes of last meeting be adopted as read. Carried.

Moved by G. Chalmers, seconded by S. Mack, that the Township account for $6.20 for stove pipes, sawing wood, etc., be paid. Carried.

Moved by G. Chalmers, seconded by J. J. Garvin, that the Clerk be authorized to draft a By-Law to abolish Statute Labor and that such By-Law be read a first time. Carried.

Moved by S. Mack, seconded by G. Chalmers, that By-Law No. 321 to abolish Statute Labor, be read a second and hird time, signed, sealed and finally passed. Carried.

Moved by J. J. Garvin, seconded by S. Mack, that account of the Board of Health to amount of thirty dollars ($30.00) be paid. Carried.

Moved by G. Chalmers, seconded by S. Mack, that this Council adjourn. Carried.

J. S. JOHNSTON,
Reeve.
A. C. DAVIS,
Tp. Clerk.

By-Law No. 321.

Being a By-Law to abolish Statute Labor in he Township of Adolphustown.

Be it therefore resolved that the Council of the Municipality of Adolphustown enacts as follows :

1. That all Statute Labor in force in the said Municipality be entirely abolished from henceforth.

2. That By-Law No. 257 and every part consistent therewith be abolished.

Passed in Council this 15th day of May, 1924.

CYRIL RICE, BOY SOLOIST.

Gives Fine Vocal Recial at Church of St. Mary Magdalene, on Wednesday Night.

The lage assemblage at the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, on Wednesday evening, enjoyed a splendid musical treat and every number in the programme rendered by Cyril Rice, boy soloist, of the Church of the Transfiguration, (the Little Church Around the Corner), New York, was a masterpiece.

The programme was arranged in five groups and gave ample scope for his wonderful voice. His voice is rich, full and naturally very sweet and has been so finely rained that every note is clear and sound like the tone of a silver bell.

The compass is so great that he can run the whole gamut from the highest to the lowest in the scale, to perfection, and without any effort.

Cyril Rice, whose parents reside at Hamilton, Ont., has been taking a vacation of three months duration, and has been giving recitals at many places in the Western States and in Canada, as far west as the Pacific Coast. He concludes his tour at Halifax, N. S., on the 21st instant.

Leslie Botts, his accompanist, is a talented musician.

PROGRAMME.

1. (a) "Ninety-first Psalm," MacDiarmid ; (b) "My Task," Ashford.
2. (a) "Ballad of the Trees, The Master," Chadwick ; (b) "His Salvation is Night Them," Bennett.
3. (a) "He Wipes the Tear," Lee ; (b) "Legend," Tschaikowsky.
4. (a) "Christ in Flanders," Ward Stephens ; (b) "Lost Chord," Sullivan.
5. (a) "Cry of Rachel," Mary T. Salter' ; (b) "Abide With Me," Liddle.

Cyril Rice, Soloist.
Leslie Botts, Accompanist.

NAPANEE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

During the past year, ten regular meetings of the Napanee Branch of the Women's Institute have been held in the Agricultural Rooms, 121 members have been enrolled in that time, with an average attendance of 33.2.

Outsiders as well as members of the Institute assisted in making the meetings a success.

Six addresses and four demonstrations have been given during the year :

"Getting the most out of the day," and "Making the Institute more Progressive and Helpful," by Mrs. Laura Rose Stephen.

"Methods of Improving our Institute," Mesdames Haight and Young.

"Travel Talk of her Trip on the Continent," Mrs. W. S. Herrington.

"Delegates Report of Convention at Ottawa," Mrs. Ella Wagar.

The Demonstrations were all given by members of the Institute. These proved very helpful and instructive. :

Demonstrations of Du-Ko—Mrs. W. J. Doller.

Tests for Kool, Silk and Linen materials—Mrs. Ralph Ham.

Candy Making—Mrs. Susie Robinson.

Judging Cake—By the members.

An interesting feature of the meetings was the talk on Current Events, by Mrs. Ella Wagar.

An unique meeting, worthy of mention, was held on Grandmothers' Day, when many old relics were displayed by the members.

A two weeks' night class in "Food Values and Cooking," was given under the able leadership of Miss Hopkins. This course was much appreciated by the younger members of the Institute. The Department has been requested to conduct th regular ten day course followed by a shorter course in advanced cookery, early next March, with Miss Hopkins again in charge.

We are closing a very successful year with bright prospects for the future..

The following are the officers for the ensuing year :

President—Mrs. Alpine Woods.
1st. Vice-Pres.—Mrs. W. J. Trenouth.
2nd. Vice-Pres.—Mrs. H. Creighton.
Recording Sec'y—Mrs. George Switzer.
Cor. Sec'y—Miss Eva Herrington.
District Director—Mrs. Ella Wagar.
Board of Directors—Mrs. W. J. Doller, Mrs. John Gehan, Mrs. George Ohlman, Mrs. James Douglas.
Convenor Flower Committee—Mrs. Ralph Ham.
Auditors—Mrs. E. Wagar and Mrs. John Robinson.

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ODESSA.

Seymour Kilgannon has moved to his new hme recently purchased from William Vrooman on Main street.

The electric light installed on Ferguson Avenue, at the cross road from Centre street, is a great improvement. The neighbors decided on it independent of the councillors this time. It was lighted for the first time on Wednesday night.

The Swiss Bell Ringers here last Wednesday night, proved to be one of he best musical entertainments for years. The large town hall was fairly well filled.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Davy have returned from spending the winter with their son, Harry Davy, Toronto. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bell, Oshawa, before returning home.

The I.O.O.F. held its annual memorial last Sunday afternoon in the Methodist church. The out-of-town lodges were well represented, consequently the attendance was large.

Clement Booth, Toronto, and Nelson Booth, New York, were guests of the latter's father, Albert Booth, last week.

Noble Bond, Detroit, is visiting his brother, Sherman Bond.

James Johnson, Toronto, is spending a few days with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Herbert Kindall and little son, Clyde Kindall, are guess of Mrs. Kindall's mother, Mrs. Thos. Clyde. They were accompanied by Mr. Kindall, who spent the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hartman, Camden East, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace Stover.

Miss Zita Gonyou, Kingston, spent a few days at L. B. King's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hillier motored to Peterboro to visit the former's brther, Fred Hillier.

Menno Burgess, left on Friday last to join his brother, Feltzar Burgess, in Rutland, Vt., where both have positions.

William Vrooman has moved to his new home on Johnson street, Kingston. Mr. and Mrs. Vrooman will be greatly missed by their many friends, who regret their leaving the village, as this has been their home for some time.

There is going to be a big time at Picton's big Victoria Day Celebration on Monday, May 26th. And to enable the people of Napanee to enjoy it, the Steamer BROCKVILLE will run an excursion to Picton on that date, leaving Napanee at 9.00 a.m., return at 5.30 p.m. Fare for round trip, 75c. Surely this will make a great day's outing for all who attend this big event.

NAPANEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

REPORT FOR MARCH AND APRIL.

Names in order om merit.

Those marked ' have missed one or more examinations.

SR. IV.—Helen Lancaster, M. Garrison, Walter Exley, Katherine Henderson, Helen Drake, M. Gibbard, Jessie Stevenson, Robert Wilson, Carmel Fretts, Billie Powell, Edmund Way, James McIntyre, Mary Gerow, George Reir, Marion Clarke, Josephine Clarke, Hazel Frink, Jean Lancaster, Jack Daly, Ethelbert Switzen, Marion Sills, Lenora Black, Dorothy Lucas, Ruth Graham, Charlie Walters, Ward Huffman, Jack Black, Keitha Lewis and George Hosey, equal ; Edith Hodgson, Ambrose Dean, Don Huyck, 'M. Tierney, Kepple Edgar, Cecil Harrison, 'Pauline Gehan, 'Leonard Baird.

JR. IV.—L. Stalker, G. Paul, R. Stalker, F. Sylver, R. Howitt, M. Sills, J. Kellar, 'M. Daly, M. Thompson, E Smith, D. Conway, K. Greer, M. Kinkley, J. Baker, R. Vanalstine, 'C. Deschene, 'V. Chase, C. Walker, E. Barragher, 'H. Nelson and C. Grass, equal ; F. Thompson, W Wagar, 'J. Grange, J. Plumley, 'M. Grass, M. Ungar, P. Denison, 'B. Hartman, 'E. Snider, J. Thompson and 'V. Bush, equal ; 'S. Fox, 'D. Clark, 'G. Hearns, 'W. Smith, 'K. Gehan, 'T. Rhyndress, 'W. Vandusen, 'V. Burnard, 'G. Cooke.

SR. III—M. Bedore, M. Exley, T. Webb, G. MacGregor, H. Robinson, D. Anderson, M. Mowers, J. Moffat, I. McGee, L. Boyes and T. Davy equal ; W. Garrison, B. Lewis, S. File, J. McIlwaine, G. Scott, B. Templeton, M. Embury, N. Hartman, A. Smith, D. Wilson, R. Wilson, H. Fretts, Jean Graham, M. Sculthorpe, 'P. Schryver, P. Ford, M. Smith, M. Loucks and 'J. Perry equal ; A. Frink, E. Edgar, A. Aylsworth, A. Knox, W. Miller, L. Fretts, P. Stevenson, B. Barnes, C. Middleton, 'D. Normile, 'B. Gibbard and 'H. Webster equal ; 'G. Thompson, 'E. Wales, 'Jim Graham.

JR. III—M. Rodgers, B. Davy, J. McDonald, June Thompson, J. Baird, A. Pybus, C. Plumbley, H. Harrigan, N. Johnson, H. Savage, E. Fox, G. Harrigan, J. Thompson, O. Barrager, L. VanLuven, D. Coakwell, 'J. Holder, M. Walters, M. Evans, A. Baker, F. Manion, H. Ford, W. Howitt, 'M. Richardson, G. Barnes, 'E. Loucks, 'E. Milligan, C. Huffman, 'F. Sagar, 'A. Hayes, R. Fair, 'G. Brown, 'B. Thompson,, 'L. Walters, W. Fair, 'A. Thompson, E. Babcock, K. Babcock,, 'E. James, 'R. Babcock, 'W. Martin, 'Cecil McTaggart.

JR. III—B—Fraser Fellows, M. Galbraith, Mary Stinson, Mary Irvine, Eula Joy, Colborne Herrington, Helen Lucas, 'Gladys Clarke, Edward Loucks, 'Marion Reddick, Bobbie Miller, Hilda Loucks, 'Ethel Fox, Ross Tang, Herbie Butcher, Burleigh Mills, Kathleen Tendall, 'Percy Wells, Earl Jennings, 'Josephine Perry, Irene Garrison, 'J. Alkenbrack, 'Lena Kinkley, Ronald LeMaistre, 'Minnie Roney, 'Zetta Kellar, 'F. McCabe, ' Arthur Vanluven, 'J. Irvine, 'Jennie Hawley, 'Jean Anderson, 'Mildred Wales, 'T. Simpson.

II Class—M. Denison and H. McGraw, equal ; G. Howitt, J. Huston, M. Powell, M. Clark, O. Tendall, A. Thompson, E. Watson, B. Webb, G. Brown, A. Young and D. Embury, equal ; H. Moore, G. Seymour, P. Detlor, F. Fox, E. Drake, H. Evans, G. Gilmour, A. Myers, D. McNeely, M. Seymour, A. Lewis, R. Fair, L. Brown, N. Ker, E. Taylor, R. J. McIlwaine, V. Vincent, A. Walters, L. Fraser, E. Thompson, C. Cassidy, 'K. Savage, 'M. Graham, 'M. Thompson, 'M. Turner, 'D. Loyst, R. Wheeler, 'A. Holder, 'J. Rennie, 'A. Doyle.

Sr. Class—A. Burgess, L. Wilson, B. Denison, M. Sculthorpe, M. Drake, J. Cooke, M. Plumley, 'E. Reddick, 'E. Richardson, G. James, H. Hearns, 'R. Vanalstine, R. Stalker, 'H. Benn, 'G. Leary, 'J. Roney, 'J. Garrett, 'A. Benn, 'C. Hearns, 'I. Curry, 'I. Markle, 'L. Cowle, 'S. Thompson, 'E. Reid, 'A. McFarlane, 'D. VanDusen, 'B. Fair, 'D. McNeely, 'L. Thompson, 'D. Rennie.

Jr. Class—L. Markle, M. Metcalfe, K. Lapointe, 'G. Detlor, E. Wheeler, D. Wheeler, 'B. Warner, 'R. Brown, 'B. Rhyndress.

JR. I—Jack Turner, Iris Seymour, Kitchener Fraser, Irene Thompson, Donald McGee, Audrey O'Connell, Grace Walters, Hubert Bedore, Betty Holder, K. Murphy, Erma Pearson, Leonard Losee, Betty McMillan, Frances Coakwell, Gussie Boyes, Dorothy Trumpour, Jimmy Young, George Griffin.

INTER. PR.—Floy McLaughling, Billy Wells, Isabelle Jackson, Ruth VanAlstine, Harold Bradshaw, Betty Webster, Percy Graham, Willie Kellar, Josie Fair, Bruce Babcock.

JR. PR.—Alan Cornwall, Geo. Currie, Dorothy Dafoe, Arthur York, Mildred Cooke, Lonald Leary, Beverly Cowling, Edith Thompson, Noah Wheeler, Florence Kellar, Olive Kellar, Charlie Pybus, James Soby, Alan Soby.

Beginners—Dorothy Tendall, Mazie Markle, Eva McTaggart, Gladys Ward, Jean Clarke, Jean VanAlstine, Dorthy Markle, Audrey Parish, Doris McMillan, Hugh Pyke, Harry Leary, Jean Young, Rachel Wheeler, Nina Thompson.

First Class—George White, L. Barrager, Gorden Curry, Bessie Perry, Ray Kellar.

Primer—Mary Ross, 'Doris Knapp, Grant Miller, Irene Murphy, Gerald Reddick, Harold Reddick, Bobbie Templeton, Lois Taylor, Betty VanAlstine, Lillo Ballard, Malcolm VanLuven, G. White, Donald Laughland, Leona Manser, Billy Babcock, Albert Watson, Vivian Cronin, Isabel McGee, Bobbie Evans, Roy Martin, Harry Derby, P. J. LaPointe, Maurice Thompson, Robert Paul, Clifford Barrett, Mary McIlwaine, Doris McGuin, Harry Benn, H. Rennie, Grace Markle, Douglas Wood, Georgie Plumley, Douglas Rendell.

Infant Class—Robert Garrison, Bertha Grange, Edith Laird, Godfrey Paul, Frances Markle, Dorothy Cowling, Ruth Edgar, Elizabeth Jackson, Keith Sprung, L. Ford, Kenneth Moore, Dorland Barrager, Billie Baker.

EAST WARD SCHOOL.

II Class—Joan LeMaistre, Letitia McCullough, Harry Barrett, George Chambers, Margery McMillan, Earl Deschene, Louise VanLuven, Clifford Kinkley, M. Simpson, 'Marguerite Snider, 'M. Young.

First Class—Billy Boyle, D. Graham, Helen Norris, Alice Deschene, Cuma Fellows, Margery Kinkley, Elizabeth Cooke, Ernest Conger, Celestine Daly, Delia Wood, George Kinkley, 'Reginald Todd, 'Jack Cooke, 'Vernet Allen.

SR. PR.—Fanny Babcock, Geo. Stevenson, Enid MacGregor, Eric LeMaistre, Emma Storms, Helen Deschene, Minnie O'Neill, Jack Stinson, Leslie Taylor, Noreen Waitson, Billy McGee, Frances Lucas, Irene Stevenson, Helen Wales, Margery Pearson, Bennie Storms.

IN. PR.—Mildred Whitmarsh, Douglas Milsap, Garrett Joy, E. Yonge, Elizabeth Storey, Jean Conger, Harriet Madden, Oron Oliver.

JR. PR.—Frank Barrett, E. Wells, Dorothy Stinson, Frances Waitson, Margaret Conger, G. Oliver, Jack Simpson, Homer Vine, Jean Vine, Icie Winters, J. Huyck, Fred Pearson, Billy Waitson, Jimmie McGee, Glen Wales, Miles Vine.

OLD BOYS' AND GIRL'S RE-UNION

The Committees who will have charge of the various activities in connection with the Re-Union are being formed and letters are already being received from former residents expressing their intention of being here. The secretary, Mr. J. M. Simpson is receiving lists of former residents with their addresses, and many more lists should be handed in this week. Make a list of your absent relatives and friends and send or hand in your list, and help to make this event the greatest ever held in the town. Get busy to-day.

"Come and see the works of God," Ps. 66-5 ; "Bear ye one another's burdens and so fulfil the law of Christ," Gal. 6-2 ; "There remaineth therefore a rest for the people of God," Heb. 4-9 ; "The same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon Him," Rom. 10-12 ; "The eternal God is Thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms," Deut. 33-27 ; "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength," Isa. 40-41 ; "What I do thou knowest not now, but thou shalt know hereafter," John 13-7 ; "O Lord, open Thou my lips and my mouth shall show forth Thy praise," Ps. 51-15.

We cannot always race he way,
Where Thou, Almighty Lord, dost move,
But we can always truly say
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Our Weekly Calendar

MAY 1924

Moon Phases
Last Quarter
May 25th

20 Tue. May for flowers in nooks and dells,
June for happy wedding bells.
21 Wed. Said Biddy McLinn : Whin me ould cow died I cried night and day for a whole wake widout stoppin.
22 Thur. Thin whin Pat, me own man up and died, 'twas niver a tear I had left to shed for him at all, at all."
23 Fri. At his wife's funeral Mat. began to wring his hands and cry aloud. His mother tried to comfort him. "Oh ! Mother," he wailed, "I know I can never get the like of her again, boo, hoo, hoo."
24 Sat. The birthday of "Noble Queen Victoria." By the grace of God in death as in life, victorious.
25 Sun. O praise the Lord for all the blessings we enjoy.
26 Mon. On a dark cloudy day, keep singing away,
Some merry and cheerful old song,
We'll all join in chorus, light breaking o'er us,
As we all go singing along, along, As we all go singing along.

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He was born on February 28, 1867, and received his education at Rugby and Sandhurst, at both of which places of learning he distinguished himself as an athlete, winning many of the championships. He entered the army in 1888, being gazetted to the 18th Lancers, but was later transferred to the 2nd Dragoon Guards. Step by step he advanced, his promotion being rapid. Many years of his life were spent in Persia and Baluchistan on special missions for the British Government. Then came the Boer war, in which he served as a cavalry officer, and was badly wounded.

Later he proved himself a resourceful organizer and commander of Oriental levies and allies of the British Empire, the moving spirit of all the military operations of England in Persia and Baluchistan throughout the great war, during which he drove the Germans from Teheran and defeated, in the very nick of time, the intrigues by means of which they were inducing the Shah's Government to join the cause of the Kaiser against the Entente.

Above all Gen. Sykes is one of the most celebrated of Asiastic explorers; he knows more about the inner region of that vast continent—of those unknown regions which scientists declare to have been the cradle of the human race—than any other white man. For many years he was British Consul-General and representative at Kashgar, the headquarters and central market of all the native trade of Central Asia, and at Khotan, which is the capital of the ancient Chinese kingdom of Jade.

Sir Percy is now married to a daughter of Col. Bruce Seton of the historic Scottish family of that name. But during the most of his life at Kashgar and in the kingdom of Jade, he had with him his sister, Miss Ella Sykes, the first Englishwoman to visit the Khotan and to cross the dangerous passes to and from the Pamirs and to set foot in all those deserts and oases of Central Asia.

In eastern Turkestan Sir Percy Sykes and his sister found the ovis poli or the mountain sheep, described by the medieval Venetian explorer, Marco Polo.

Sir Percy's publications include "Ten Thousand Miles in Persia," "The Glory of the Shia World," "History of Persia," and (with Ella Sykes) "Through Deserts and Passes of Central Asia."

Veteran Presbyterian Minister.

The Rev. William T. McMullen, D.D., the veteran Presbyterian minister of Woodstock, Ont., and senior surviving ex-Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, celebrated his ninety-third birthday recently.

In spite of his years, Dr. McMullen enjoys all the blessings of strong and vigorous health, with his faculties of mind and memory unimpaired. He still takes an active part in the services of his church, and only a few weeks ago preached an inspiring sermon to celebrate the 67th anniversary of his induction as a minister.

Dr. McMullen was born in County Monaghan, Ireland, on January 9, 1831, and came to Canada with his parents when about twelve years old. They settled near Fergus in Wellington County, Ont., and in 1849 Dr. McMullen went to Toronto to enter Knox College and University College, from which he graduated in 1856.

Worst Than Bootleggers.

Canada has from ten to fifteen thousand drug addicts, and the traffickers who are carrying on and encouraging the business are more evil in their effects than the worst of bootleggers. That was the statement made in Ottawa of Dr. J. J. Amyot, Deputy Minister of Health for the Dominion.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

BY REV. W. H. GRIFFITH THOMAS, D.D.

Sunday, May 25.—Jeremiah and the Babylonian Crisis; Jer. 7 : 1-26 ; 9 : 1-9 ; 15 : 1-10 ; 18 : 1-12 ; 25 : 1-14 ; 26 : 1-24 ; 36 : 1-28.

Another crisis. The state of the people was such that it was not long before a fresh trouble arose between Judah and its God. From Isaiah (our last lesson) to Jeremiah was about 150 years, during which time the people went from bad to worse, until by the time of Jeremiah their state was almost wholly bad, and God raised up Jeremiah to bear witness to the right and true way. The reforms of Hezekiah (the king of Isaiah's time) were not enough to put matters right, especially as the next king was the worst that ever reigned in Judah, Manasseh. His son, Amon, who succeeded him, was like his father, and even though the next king, Josiah, was good and earnest, his efforts could not stem the tide that was carrying Judah to disaster. See II Kings 23 : 25-27. It was this impossibility of a permanent change that made the life and witness of Jeremiah so important.

I.—The Prophet's Work.

It is necessary to get a general idea of the time and character of Jeremiah's efforts for God. He lived and worked for forty years, and covered the reigns of five kings, during which time the "decline and fall" of Judah can be seen.

1. The Reign of Josiah. Peremiah was called in the thirteenth year of Josiah, 626 B.C. (1 : 2). This was five years before Hilkiah the priest found the book of the law (2 Kings, 22 : 4 ; Jer. 32 : 7). He was a nephew of Huldah, the prophetess, and was, perhaps, the son of the above Hilkiah (1:1). There are several references in Jeremiah's prophecies to Josiah's reformation (8 : 1, 2, 19). His prophecies in Josiah's reign are found chiefly in chapters 1 to 20. Of Jeremiah's personal life from 626 to 608 we know nothing, though it is thought that Chapters 1 to 6 shed light on the time.

2. The Reign of Jehohaz. Josiah's reformation proved insufficient to stem the tide that was carrying Judah to captivity. Jehoahaz reigned only three months. Jeremiah bewailed him Jer. 22 : 10-12).

3. The Reign of Jehoiakim. He was the brother of Jehoahaz, and reigned 608-597 B.C. It was a time of great conflict and trial for Jeremiah (22 : 13-19 ; 26 : 20-23 ; 36 : 23-26).

4. The Reign of Jehoiachin. The son of Jehoiakim. His was a very brief reign (2 Kings 24 : 6-16.).

5. The Reign of Zedekiah. Uncle of the former king, and brother of Jehoiakim (2 Kings 24 : 17-19). Jeremiah's tone changes. Instead of lamentations as before, he ceases to hope or to plead, and urges submission to Babylon because the day of deliverance was past (Jer. 27: 11-16, 17, 22). Notice the treatment he received : attempted murder (11 : 19-23) ; opposition at home (12 : 6) ; punishment (20 : 1-2), and imprisonment (37 : 15 ; 38 : 6).

6. After the Capture of Jerusalem. Jeremiah was not taken to Babylon (40 : 1-6), but was carried into Egypt (43 : 1-13). He worked among the remnant of Jews there. He seems to have died in Egypt.

II.—The Prophet's Character.

From various places in the Book of Jeremiah (see the passages for reference as above), it is possible to see what sort of a man Jeremiah was.

1. His Hard Task. (See 1 : 10, 11.) Judah was doomed to destruction. The apostasy had gone too far to be arrested. Moral corruption and spiritual rebellion against God had so great a hold that nothing the prophet could say or do was able to arrest the downward and swift rush to judgment. It was this hopeless condition that made the task of Jeremiah so much harder. Whatever he might attempt, would be useless to stave off the captivity. And yet we see how true he was to his commission.

2. His Fine Courage. Although opposed by his own relatives and by the authorities (11 : 19-23, 12 : 6, 20 : 1-2) he did not fail to use plainness of speech, as he warned and pleaded. He is a fine example of true patriotism, bold and yet tender.

3. His Definite Persistence. He was practically alone, all the leaders in Church and State against him. Yet he maintained his ground against all opposition. Notice some of his methods. (1) Mark his appeals. Sometimes he rebuked (ch. 7 : 1). Sometimes he pours out his grief (ch. 9). Sometimes he pleads (ch. 15 : 15). Sometimes he speaks through symbols (ch. 18). Sometimes he predicts the captivity (ch. 25). (2) Special attention should be given to the chapter given for reading (ch. 26). It is a story of God's will revealed (v. 1-7), resisted (v. 8-11), repeated (v. 12-15), and recognized (v. 16-19). (3) Another striking scene in Jeremiah's life is recorded in ch. 36, which again shows the awful wickedness of the King and the determined faithfulness of the prophet.

4. His Cruel Imprisonment. (See ch. 37 to 40). He is put in a dungeon on a false charge (37 : 11-15), released from the dungeon, but kept in prison ; then put in a dungeon again (38 : 1-6), again released, but kept in restraint (ch. 38 : 13-28), carried from the city in chains (ch. 40 : 1), and finally released (ch. 40 : 2-4).

5. His Unique Hope. All this time when the rescue of the country was hopeless, Jeremiah was taught of God to look forward to a day when there should be an entirely new state of affairs. He is given the power to predict a new covenant which God would make with the people, and this was to encourage him and the faithful few as the city and country were taken by Babylon. See ch. 31 : 31-34. It is very striking that just at the time of the national life was at its lowest and worst, God should have cheered the hearts of the faithful by this inspiring promise. The fulfilment is mentioned in Hebrews, 8 : 8-12, where it is clearly seen that the fault was with the people, not with the covenant (v. 8).

III.—The Prophet's Books.

A brief reference to the two works of Jeremiah will help us still further to see what he did for God.

1. The Book of Jeremiah. It consists of 52 chapters, and is in six main divisions : 1 to 29 ; 30 to 36 ; 37 to 39 ; 40 to 42 ; 43 and 44 ; 45 to 52. It starts with his call (ch. 1) and closes with his departure for Egypt, where he is supposed to have died. At different parts of the book will be seen what the prophet had to contend against, and what he was enabled to do for God.

2. The Book of Lamentations. Here the spirit of the man is seen. There are five lamentations showing the terrible condition of the country and the prophet's grief.

IV.—Prophet's Message for To-day.

As we ponder the sinfulness of he people and he faihful and urgent appeals of Jeremiah, we cannot but think of our own needs. On many level crossings are the words, "Stop ! Look ! Listen !" It is said that these words won a prize offered by the railroads for the most effective warning. They suggest a complete expression of God's will for Judah through Jeremiah, and also the same for us today.

1. "Stop !" This means Repentance. Pause on your wilful way. Ponder the path of your feet, and then turn from evil doing.

2. "Look !" This suggests Faith. Turn away from self and sin and look away to Christ. Keep the eye fixed on Him, and then no danger will trouble. "Behold the Lamb of God."

3. "Listen !" This calls for Obedience. Heed the approach of evil, and give attention to the Word of God. "I will hear what God the Lord will speak."

TAKING LEAD IN WHEAT.

Is World's Greatest Wheat-Exporting Country.

This year Canada takes her place as the world's greatest wheat-exporting country. Since 1919 there has been a steady gain, and although in the years 1921 and 1922, the growers received more money per bushel than in 1923, yet last year's crop proves that Canada is really commencing to realize the possibilities of her wheat production. When one considers the hundreds of thousands of acres of virgin soil in the west, the question presents itself how long it will be before Canada reaches her maximum production and what that maximum may be.

The United States crop was about 1,200,000 acres short of 1922 and the total production about 77,000,000 bushels less than the previous year, according to Government figures. While the average price paid last year in the United States was ninety cents per bushel the North Dakota farmer produced only [illegible] per acre, thus getting only $[illegible] gross. The Canadian farmer [illegible] fifteen bushels per acre and [illegible] average of only seventy cents, his gross return was $10.50. The whole crop last year was somewhere around 785,541,000 bushels, while in 1915, their banner year, the output was over a billion bushels.

Alberta alone last year increased her production by more than 100,000,000 bushels. Her average yield was 28 bushels per acre, giving a production of about 167,265,080 bushels against 65,740,693 bushels in 1922. Manitoba showed about a 36 million decrease over 1922 while Saskatchewan, figuring in bushels, showed a slight increase but a loss on the value of her crop due to the extremely low prices paid last year.

Canada has already exported over 64 million bushels, the greater part of which went to the United Kingdom, Great Britain alone taking over 43 million bushels. The United States was second, securing over nine million bushels. Italy, Greece, France and Belgium also imported in the order mentioned as well as Germany which imported 129,320 bushels of Canadian wheat.

Few people realize how rapidly Canada has made history as a wheat exporter. During the five years just prior to the war, our average exports were 80 million bushels yearly. Since then we have increased our exports to over 300 million bushels annually. With our present acreage which has increased over 50 per cent. in the last eight years, we might export 300 million bushels this year. This in itself constitutes a world's record in agricultural growth and, we are adding to this area at the rate of something less than a million acres yearly.

During the last two years Canada has exported more than two and one-half times the pre-war amount. Argentina shows a fifty per cent. gain although very irregular from year to year. Australia is not exporting so freely as in the years 1919-1922, but is above pre-war figures. India's population is consuming more of the home crop and gradually losing her importance as an exporter. Russia and Roumania are slowly coming back to pre-war days.

The matter is well summed up by Sir Herbert S. Holt, speaking at the annual meeting of the Royal Bank of Canada, when he says, "A reduction of 5,750,000 acres in the area planted in winter wheat in the United States is encouraging for Canada.

"Eventually I expect to see the United States producing only enough wheat to supply their domestic needs, leaving Canada, already the leading exporter of the world, as the sole exporter from North America."

New Speaker of Ontario House.

The Hon. Joseph Elijah Thompson, who has just been elected Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, has only been a member of the Legislature since 1919, when he was elected at the general election, being re-elected at the last general election for Northeast Toronto, seat B.

He is a native of Toronto, having been born in that city on July 19, 1867, the son of Joseph Thompson and Isabelle Fleming, his ancestors having located in Toronto in 1854. He married on October 19, 1898, Ida M. Wilkinson, daughter of W. C. Wilkinson, of Toronto.

He went overseas as a captain in the Canadian Expeditionary Force, and served in England and France from 1916 to 1918.

ON PARLIAMENT HILL

BY A MEMBER OF THE PARLIAMENTARY PRESS GALLERY.

Ottawa, May 12th, 1924.—The Budget debate is gradually making for itself a reputation for wearisome re-iteration. Every second member of Parliament seems to have heard a call to place before Canada his particular ideas upon the hundred-and-one matters that come under the aegis of the Budget and the result is a prolongation of the discussion beyond reasonable lengths. It had been hoped that last week would see an end of talk, and the division ; now, it is fairly certain that the better part of this present week will be devoted to the Robb proposals. Speeches, for the most part, have been needlessly long, two hours having come to be regarded by the average member of the House as a sort of standard for oratorical effort. On Wednesday, of last week, there remained fully 40 members anxious to get a Hansard in the Budget debate ; how many of these, by this time of writing, have decided to "let George do it," calls for too much arithmetical calculation to make the result of even passing interest.

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There were four outstanding addresses during last week's instalment of the debate, those of Messrs. Le Sueur (Conservative), and Raymond and Euler (Liberals) Ontario, and of Hon. Mr. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture. Mr. Le Sueur took high ground and in a non-partisan effort put up the first constructive case presented, as yet, by the Opposition ; particularly effective was his reference to the vast trade possibilities awaiting Canada in South America. Mr. Raymond's speech was a cautious and careful exposition of his attitude in opposing the fiscal proposals of the Budget, on the score of the injury likely to be done already to the industries of his constituency, the City of Brantford. In the case of Mr. Euler, there was less careful phrasing, but a frankness and candor that won the admiration of the whole House. Mr. Euler spoke in the voice of Kitchener, Preston, Waterloo and Hespeler and plainly intimated that he must oppose the Budget because of its tariff clauses. He repudiated absolutely the Liberal platform of 1919, to which, he said, he never had subscribed and the implementing of which he could not now condone, inasmuch as it was by way of departure from the "stability of tariff" that he had been led to expect from the pre-election statements of Liberal leaders.

IMPLEMENT INDUSTRY NOT "RUINED."

Distinctly disconcerting to the Conservative Opposition was the publication, last week, by the Massey-Harris Company of an extremely optimistic statement in respect of the farm implement business of that huge Canadian concern. The manifesto intimated, simply and in so many words that the Massey-Harris Company was going to carry on "Business as usual" and, more than that, that the Company was preparing to pass on to the farmer, at once, the saving in cost price that was made possible by the Budget. This statement coming gratuitously from Canada's greatest implement manufactory just at a time when Conservative members were bemoaning daily the inevitable ruin of the implement industry in Canada, was, as Mr. Motherwell said "a sad blow" to the Opposition gloom dispensers. A similar silencer was the highly-optimistic vision of the future of Hamilton as the home of industrial concerns, as painted in the press, two weeks after the Budget had been tabled, by Mr. Kirkpatrick, Industrial Commissioner of the "Ambitious City." Political theories of impending blue-ruin are of little avail, after all, when concrete evidences of prosperity and the will to "carry-on" are being put before the public by the very interests for whom the untimely obsequies were being prepared by too-easily-persuaded friends.

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Of more than passing interest to the public generally was a remark dropped by Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, at the annual dinner of the Parliamentary Press Gallery. Making eloquent reference to the place made for themselves in Canadian history by the early French explorers, Mr. Lemieux intimated that in the not far distant future, he might present to the House of Commons its first stained glass windows. The subject of the decorative window, the Speaker added, would be the landing on Gaspe peninsula of Jacques Cartier.

MORE LIGHT IN HOME BANK AFFAIRS.

For the first time in a generation, or longer, a Prime Minister of Canada has appeared before a Royal Commission of Inquiry. Right Hon. MacKenzie King, appearing last Friday before Mr. Justice McKeown, in connection with the Home Bank failure, repeated on oath the evidence he had previously presented to parliament regarding the "midnight deputation" of Home Bank Directors to Ottawa, three days before the institution closed its doors, to secure, if possible, a substantial governmental deposit. Mr. King's presence in the witness box had one very significant result : It allowed him, on behalf of Right Hon. W. S. Fielding, to contradict flatly a statement made in the Commons, recently, by Sir Henry Drayton, namely, that he (Sir Henry) had notified Mr. Fielding, on leaving office in 1921, of the grave condition of the Home Bank and, further, of the presence in his office of a "secret file" relating to that situation. Sir Henry's statement in the House (some weeks ago) was preliminary to an amplification of the same, a fortnight ago, before Justice McKeown and, at the latter time, it caused a sensation in Canada. Needless to say, the repudiation thereof by the veteran Minister of Finance (who is still not sufficiently recovered to be present at the Inquiry to speak for himself has given a new turn to events and makes an even greater sensation than did the utterance of which it is the denial. The next move is Sir Henry's—or will the Commission undertake to secure at his residence on oath, a statement from Mr. Fielding ?

And the feature of interest in connection with the Industry was elucidation of the fact that, two or three days before the Home Bank closed its doors, Sir Thomas White, former Minister of Finance, received from the Directors of that bank a cheque for $1,500 in payment of "professional services rendered."

CHURCH UNION COMPROMISE.

The Church Union Bill is still before Committee and probably will not emerge before the middle of next week. The fight has been not only keen, but bitter in the extreme, and in well-informed circles there has grown up the impression that the probable outcome will be an amendment acceptable to both sides; an amendment whereby the Bill will be reported, its principle carried and approved, with a provision whereby individual Presbyterian congregations so desiring may, within a period of six months or one year, register their desire not to be included in the proposed United Church of Canada and retain their present status and property rights.

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Sir Esme William Howard, Privy Councillor, Knight Commander of the Bath and other orders, is His Britannic Majesty's Ambassador to the United States. The prediction of P. W. Wilson, former British M.P., and no particular admirer of the old diplomatic school, is that Washington will like him. It is recalled that Earl Balfour, a veteran of the school, made a remarkably fine impression in the United States, and no doubt Americans have for the most part rather a predilection for a bit of the right sort of blood. This Sir Esme has. Some of the noblest blood in England flows in his veins, and Lady Howard's lineage is equally illustrious. He has spent his life in the diplomatic service, is a cosmopolitan if ever there was one, having lived longer abroad than in England. He is a man of wealth and taste, and moreover has already had diplomatic experience in Washington.

We must make no invidious comparisons between Sir Esme and former Senator Kellogg, who has recently been appointed to London. The latter appointment was much more generally criticized in the United States than such appointments generally are. It was pointed out that it was the custom to appoint to the Court of St. James men of exceptional distinction, and, by preference, men of literary gifts.

Sir Esme is one of those trained diplomats who could give equal satisfaction to a Bolshevist or a Tory government. After being educated at Harrow he immediately "read" for the diplomatic service. He passed his written examination and triumphed in the even more important oral inquiry which discloses a man's private means, social position and personal accomplishments. His sister having become the second wife of the fourth Earl of Carnarvon, appointed by Lord Salisbury to be Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, young Howard went along as his private secretary. Later he was private secretary for the Earl of Kimberly, then Foreign Secretary. He was next attached to the British Embassy at Berlin, but when the South African war broke out he joined the Yeomanry and fought through the struggle, winning medal and clasps. He became Consul General at Crete, and from there moved as Counsellor of the Embassy to Washington. There followed three years at Budapest; two years in Switzerland where he was Minister; six years in Sweden where he succeeded Sir Cecil Spring Rice, who had gone to Washington, and finally he was made Ambassador to Spain.

Sir Esme comes of the Howards, of Greystoke Castle, Cumberland, belonging to the great clan of which the Duke of Norfolk, England's premier peer and the leading Roman Catholic layman in the realm, is head. He was brought up as a Protestant, but changed to Roman Catholicism when he married in 1898 a lady of doubly distinguished lineage. Writing in the New York Times Mr. Wilson says:—

"The family of the Ambassadress, Lady Isabella Howard, is among the most romantic in the British peerage. In the days of the Stuarts a certain Sir James Levington was so zealous a royalist that he was created Earl of Newburgh, Viscount Kynnaird and Baron Levingston of Flacraig by his grateful sovereign, King Charles I., which somewhat numerous titles were to descend by daughters if there were no sons. Such a daughter was Charlotte Maria, and she and her husband, Charles Radcliffe, followed the Stuarts into exile. Radcliffe took part in the rebellion of the Old Pretender in 1715, was arrested, attainted for treason and imprisoned in Newgate, whence he escaped. Thirty years later this confirmed Jacobite joined "the '45," or rebellion of the Young Pretender, in which he was captured and promptly executed on his former attainder. As his brother, the third Earl of Derwentwater, had also been beheaded, the family thus was made intimately acquainted with this painless, but decisive, triumph of mediaeval surgery."

The survivors thought it wise to reside in Italy, where their presence was so highly appreciated by various popes that the head of the house was created prince (or princess) Giustiniani-Bandini. The ambassadress thus is related to the most exclusive Italian aristocracy. But in 1858 the exiled family was naturalized as British by special Act of Parliament, which means that Prince Giustiniani-Bandini is again Earl of Newburgh, Viscount Kynnaird and Baron Levingston! It is a rare case of a title of nobility being held in two countries. It was a princess of the clan who was thus naturalized and pardoned for the treason of her ancestors, which august lady—incidentally Duchess of Montdragone in the Kingdom of Naples—was blessed at her baptism with no fewer than ten Christian names—Maria Ceceailia Agatha Anna Joseph Laurentia Donata Melchiora Blakassara Gaspara.

And it is her granddaughter, the Lady Maria Isabella Giovanna Gioacchina, who will come in due course to Washington. Of the above marriage there are five children, all boys, and the eldest of these boys is still under age. Where Lady Geddes is an Anglo-American to her finger tips, the new mistress of the Embassy is perhaps the most complete example of Anglo-Italian nobility. In her own right she enjoys rank and precedence in the courts, both of London and Rome.

Odd Rentals.

Many properties in England are still held on odd rents. The rent on one estate in Sussex takes the form of a pound of black pepper each year, while another estate in Leicestershire is paid for by a garland and three roses.

Almost Jostled King Over Curb.

Capt. Alex. Houston, of the Tenth Battalion, C.E.F., later a lieut.-colonel, was walking along Duke street, Piccadilly, one fine day in company with Major D. H. Sinclair, of the Canadian Records Office. Just as Capt. Houston turned abruptly to go into a store, Major Sinclair turned the other way to wait for him. As he did so, he ran straight into His Majesty King George, almost with sufficient force to jostle His Majesty over the curb."

The chagrin on the Canadian officer's face was sudden and pronounced, as he mumbled very quickly a contrite "Beg your pardon, Sir."

The King who was in mufti, and accompanied by only one member of his household, quite readily replied, "It is quite alright, partly my own fault," and without the slightest change in the royal equipoise passed on down the busy street, unnoticed by the crowds of soldiers and shoppers in the lively heart of London.

It was just a trifling incident during the war, but it makes one wonder, what an outcry there would have been, if some one had trampled on the toes of William Hohenzollern in his palmy days. But of course that would have been impossible. No one could have ever penetrated the entouraged with which the ex-kaiser was wont to surround himself.

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First Yankee Humorist

Fashions in humor change. Old jests are apt to grow stale as old styles, says the Toronto Telegram. The malapropism or the eccentricity in spelling that once provoked mirth is often as puzzlingly obsolete as the bustle, the crinoline, the skin-tight trousers and the jack-boot. Probably the only parts of Mark Twain's "Innocents Abroad" that the present generation would appreciate as they were appreciated by the book's contemporaries are the parts based upon the fundamental extravagances, the absurdities that have served for the humor of all ages and all nations. Artemus Ward, on the lecture platform, is said to have been irresistibly comical. To read one of his lectures to-day is usually to invite a dull hour. Puzzling, at times, is the humor of Sam Slick, the Canadian humorist of 80 odd years ago, as presented in condensed form in the new volume edited by Ray Stannard Baker.

Sam Slick, the chief character he depicted, was the nom de plume of Judge Thomas Chandler Haliburton, native son of Nova Scotia, graduate of King's College, member of the Legislature of that province, brilliant lawyer, Supreme Court judge, and finally an M.P. in England. He belonged to the third generation of Blue Noses. But like Stephen Leacock, whose hum-drum professorship of political economy at McGill is quite overshadowed by his funny books, Sam Slick's fame rests not on his political and judicial attainments, but on his humor.

The editor of the new volume compares the impression produced by Haliburton's "Clockmaker, or the Sayings and Doings of Samuel Slick of Slickville," in its days, with the impression produced by Sinclair Lewis' "Main Street." "If," says Baker, "the reader centuples the impression produced by 'Main Street' and extends it throughout North America and Western Europe he will gain some idea of the magnitude of that response and of the reason for it. In fact, Haliburton did merely for the world at large what Sinclair Lewis, turning the tables on the village solons, has done for the Eastern States."

In other words, as Arthur Maurice remarks in the New York Herald, the buncombe that we have with us to-day roared lustily in the 1830's and 1840's. "It is true," writes Baker, "that the pride of the forties has modulated among the upper classes into philosophic cynicism, urbane and delightful, and that it has developed among the intelligentsia into a flaming revolt against the American tradition; but it is also true that the speeches of some of those high in the councils of the state show that the nationalism of the twenties still lingers and that its appeal is still potent amongst the multitude," and "the naive belief not confined to the vulgar, that the Almighty has manifested Himself more obviously in the United States than in New Zealand, shows no sign of recession."

Readers nowadays no longer find highly humorous such mis-spelling as "sais" and "arter," nor do they regard "corneysewer" as a triumph of wit. On the other hand, some of Sam Slick's humorous exaggerations still mildly tickle the fancy. He has a gift for hyperbole. On a hot day when he is perspiring so that "he lays the dust," Sam longs to slip off his flesh and sit in his bones. Gravely he yarns about the English nobleman who feels as small as the little end of nothing whittled down; and about the woman whose uncle, a frosty New Englander, is so cool that after she kisses him she has toothache for a week.

Surprisingly effective too are his exaggerations drawn from the phenomena of nature. The new gig spic and span, at the door, shines like the mud banks at Windsor when the sun is on them. Hope is "an alder bunch near a ditch in a dyke." In the cheek of the termagant hunger and temper have made "proper strong lines" like "water furrows in a plowed field." The lawyer's lip is "curled down like a peach leaf that has a worm in it." The face of the Puritan is "lit up with a sickly smile like the sun on a tombstone."

Haliburton was one of the few Canadian and American writers who, in his day, were read in England. Irving and Cooper were read there because they wrote as Europeans had written. Haliburton was successful because he was so different, because he appeared to them as the first American in literature—for Sam Slick, though a Canadian, wrote about the drawling New Englanders. A line of travellers—authors, scientists, diplomats, soldiers — between the 1820's and 1840's had recorded some unpleasant impressions of the young United States and its crudities—Zangwill has taken a similar tack. Haliburton's caricatures of Sam Slick were even less flatering, and because they met the European conception of what a Yankee ought to be, thinks Maurice, Europe received them with enthusiasm.

Alberta's Crops.

The Department of Agriculture of Alberta has issued a statement of the average yield per acre of the various grain crops of last season. The average yield per acre of wheat for the entire province is now placed at 28 bushels, the average for oats at 55 bushels, that for barley at 37 bushels, that for rye at 11 bushels, and that for flax at 10 bushels, there being a very small acreage of the latter crop.

The total acreage in wheat in the province as determined by the Federal Bureau of Statistics and the Provincial Department of Agriculture, is placed at 5,973,753. The average of 28 bushels on thi sacreage gives a total yield of 167,265,084 bushels.

Revolver Practice.

The Quebec Liquor Commission is training a number of men in revolver practice with a view to protection of its fleet of automobile trucks engaged in transporting stocks of liquor to its warehouse in the former jail on Notre Dame street east. So far there have been no raids on these trucks by hold-up men.

Raised on Cow's Milk.

Some of the best camels now in captivity have been raised on cow's milk given in a nursing bottle.

Here and There

Shipments of grain from Vancouver for the 1923-24 season have now passed the 41,000,000 bushel mark. Officials estimate that the 50,000,000 bushel mark set for the season will be surpassed in the near future.

Reports from England state that it has been universally conceded that Canada's pavilion was in the best condition when the King opened the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley on April 23rd. "It was the Canadian building," the reports said, "spick and span and complete to the last nail that led all others in the race to the finish in time for to-day's official opening."

Over 3,000 settlers left Liverpool for Canada on April 24th. Thirteen hundred of these sailed on the Canadian Pacific liner "Montcalm," including a party of 200 skilled workers from Manchester, 38 belonging to engineering trades, 40 to building trades and 42 farm hands. Eighty skilled workers from Leeds and a party of engineers from Barrow-in-Furness were also on board.

A total of 40,000,000 salmon trout eggs has been collected during the last season by the Department of Marine and Fisheries in Lake Huron, Georgian Bay and Lake Superior. The total number obtained compares favorably with the average collections of recent years and is sufficient to fill all the hatcheries on the Great Lakes engaged in the propagation of salmon trout.

Graphic and interesting educational motion pictures will bring Alberta's various resources to the eyes of those who attend the British Empire Exhibition this year. In addition to pictures illustrating the life of Alberta's citizens on the farms, on the ranches and in the mining districts, charts will be used to bring out interesting compilations of statistics illustrative of the province's agricultural and industrial output.

Carrying an invitation to the President of the United States to attend the celebrations of the 140th anniversary of the settlement of Upper Canada by the United Empire Loyalists, which will be held in June, Miss G. Lazier, herself a descendant of the Loyalists, left Belleville recently on horseback to ride to Washington alone, a distance of 600 miles. Elaborate arrangements for the celebrations are being made and it is expected that thousands of visitors will attend.

An attractive booklet entitled, "A Week in Quebec in the Spring," by Betty Thornley, internationally known writer associated with "Vogue" and other magazines, has just been added to the series of artistic pamphlets published by the Canadian Pacific Railway. It describes the Ancient Capital and its environs, is illustrated by many striking photographs and bound in a cover which reproduces in natural colors the pattern of cloth called catalogne, woven by Quebec habitant women.

That the Indian v[illegible] of Hochelaga, which stood [illegible] site of the present city [illegible]ntreal, was a place of about fifty wooden houses having a population of some 4,000 souls when Jacques Cartier sailed up the St. Lawrence, was the assertion made by Dr. W. D. Lighthall before the Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal recently. Dr. Lighthall was able to give the boundaries of the village and described it as resembling the home of Cedric the Saxon, in "Ivanhoe."

Apropos of the recent "Save the Forest Week," E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, stated: "A week's concentration on saving the forests of Canada is well worth while—much better to make it a 'Forest Saving Year' and, if the forest resources of this country are to be conserved to adequately avail the greater Canada of a few years hence it must be a 'Forest Saving Generation.' Forest wastage is to-day tragically too great and we Canadians must pay and are paying for the loss."

"Move Them On" Man.

A job not particularly enviable is the new one given to Superintendent Arthur Bassom, of Scotland Yard. He is to tackle London's traffic puzzle, and unravel the knots Londoners see tied in the streets every day in the week.

As Mr. Bassom has been in charge of the public carriage department ever since the first motor-omnibuses appeared in London, he knows all there is to know about the problem. People wonder if he regrets the passing of the old cabby, to say nothing of the horse-bus driver—and their store of repartee

"D'you want all the road?" roared a bus-driver to a cabby.

"No; only the bit you're on!" came the retort.

Illuminated Street Names.

One of the recent innovations in suburban London, Eng., is illuminated street names. Everyone knows the difficulty of finding an address at night. Very often the name of the street appears high up on a building —sometimes surrounded by posters or partly obscured by ivy or other creeper. If the weather is foggy it is impossible to ascertain the name of the street. But, now, wherever there is an electric standard at a corner, an illuminated sign-post affixed. The idea is worth developing, says an English paper. Why not illuminated sign-posts even where there is no electricity? An extra gas jet or two, or (in the country) even oil lamps, would help many a weary address-seeker out of a difficulty.

Coquetry.

In the reign of Queen Victoria a law still existed in England to prevent excessive coquetry! It was worded in the following manner: "Anybody trying to allure one of Her Majesty's male subjects into marriage by means of paint, powder, cotton, wool, steel corsets, crinolines, high-heels or false figure of any kind, will be prosecuted for witchcraft, and the marriage will be considered null and void."

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CANADA HAS 242 SECTS

SOME CHURCHES HAVE ONLY A DOZEN MEMBERS.

Roman Catholics Come First, Then Presbyterians, Anglicans, Methodists, the Baptists Holding Fifth Place — Confucians, Buddhists, Mormons are Fairly Numerous Out West.

When the dust and din of the present religious controversy have died down, and dwellers on the fundamentalist mountains have ceased hurling rocks in an effort to drive the inhabitants of the modernist valley to cover, will the net results be the formation of several new denominations? writes John Landis Love in the Toronto Star Weekly.

No less than 242 organized sects exist in the Dominion. Nearly one-half, or 119, of these bodies are negligible both in influence and numbers, having but ten or less adherents each. They have no headquarters, and their signatories are scattered indiscriminately across the country. They never hold conventions, publish no denominational paper, and they do not force themselves into the limelight in fanatical defense of their creeds or denunciation of those who disagree with them. Having found it impossible to live at religious peace with their fellowmen, they have "hived off," formed toy denominations of their own, and left it at that.

Denominations numbering more than ten adherents exist in Canada to the extent of 123. Their grand totals range all the way from 11 to well into the millions. The Roman Catholics lead with 3,383,663, the Presbyterians, Anglicans and Methodists following in the order named with over a million each. Well down the line, and below the half-million mark the Baptists hold fifth place.

Canada has long been a favorable field for the propagating of religious cults. Not only do its 242 sects embrace nearly all known forms of faith, but less than one-quarter of one per cent. of the entire population were returned in the 1921 census as having no denominational affiliations, according to a bulletin just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. This is an improvement on the census of 1881, when 2.07 of the population was so returned.

Passing over, for the nonce, the suns, moons, and revolving planets of Canada's world, we come to the dark stars at the tail of the list upon which their creators bestowed titles indicative of their faith in a great and glorious future. What faith, for example, must have been exercised in the naming of the Big Church, and how far short must anticipation have fallen with only 17 adherents! Even worse is the case of the Brothers of Man denomination, 10; the Workers with 11, and the followers of Esoteric Law with 12. Saved by Grace and Lot to Jesus also muster a round dozen each, both being beaten by the Schismatics with 13. Also among the even dozens must be included Testimony of Jesus and the Bahais.

Proceeding upwards to the 'teens, we find, in addition to those already mentioned, the Rosecrucians and Temple Society with 15 each; Christ's Church of China, Metropolitan, Temple of God, with 16. Two denominations number 17 faithful men and true, namely, Body of Christ and Holy Cross. Top of this group is the Children of God Sect with 19 members.

Footing the "twenties" are the Sabbath Keepers and Zion Chapel, with 21. A step higher are Interdenominational with 23 and the Provertories with 24, while Armenian Assembly and Solomon Reformists tie with 25 each. Taoists and Nationalists contain 27 in each fold, as does Church Community. Philosophists fall one short of thirty.

The "thirties" possess some intriguing titles, and are headed by 39 Holy Workers, who are not to be confounded with the 58 Holy Rollers. Sectarists and Golden Rulers number 37 each, Materialists and Dissenters 34, Truthites 33, the group fittingly rounding off with the Round Church, numbering 30.

Daniel's Band with 45 adherents presses hard on the heels of 50 Socialists, who are in close numerical company with 57 Rationalists. Communists and Shiloites call for sitting accommodation for 76 each, assuming that in both cases every member of these two flocks puts in an appearance at meeting.

The foregoing constitutes an analysis of what are returned under the general heading "Various." Among the denominations large enough to be given returns by provinces are several of which little, hardly even the name, is known. The Shintos, for example—who, what, where are they? And the Pagans? Did the 7,226 Canadians so denominated in the census returns describe themselves in sincerity or sarcasm? One wonders! And why is it that this small army of Pagans is located chiefly in Ontario and Saskatchewan, while Prince Edward Island has but one? The Confucians number almost as many as the Congregationalists, but they are largely concentrated in British Columbia. Buddhists are also strong in the quarter, numbering 10,599 out of a total for Canada of 11,288, the Maritime Provinces having but seven all told, and all in Nova Scotia. To British Columbia, also, goes the distinction of harboring nearly half of the Dominion's Agnostics, and 30 per cent. of the Free Thinkers. When it comes to Mormons, however, Alberta is well in the van, the disciples of Joseph Smith in that province numbering 11,373 out of a Canadian total of 19,656. This sect has also done pretty well in Ontario with nearly 6,000 adherents, but they have found the Maritimes stony ground.

Expensive Vision.

Women have vision. They always see themselves in beautiful clothes.—New York Sun.

About Fuller's Death.

Fuller's earth is found in different parts of England. The most famous deposits is at Nutfield, near Reigate, In days gone by there was a mine near Bath and the product was largely used in the old wool-weaving towns of Frome and Bradford-on-Avon. Fuller's earth is of very ancient origin and is mentioned in holy writ. "Raiment so white that a fuller could not make it whiter." So that even in those days fuller's earth was used for bleaching purposes. An immense deposit of fuller's earth has been discovered at Treamble, in Cornwall. Experts say that there are a million tons of this clay-like substance ready to be dug out. Its ancient use for absorbing the oil in woollen cloths has become almost a thing of the past, other processes being used, but as a toilet powder it is invaluable, and it is still in great demand for clearing mineral oils and in the manufacture of soaps.

A FAMOUS CANADIAN FAMILY.

Four Remarkable Sons of a Remarkable Mother.

No Canadian family, it may be said with some assurance, has contributed more richly to the life of this and other countries than the one which has just lost another member, Hon. Featherston Osler, in his eighty-seventh year. Four remarkable sons of a remarkable mother have occupied positions of prominence in varied fields which have made the name conspicuous for more than a generation. The wife of an Anglican missionary, first in the pioneer sections of Simcoe county, Ontario, the late Mrs. F. L. Osler gladdened by many attentions from friends in the city and province, and cheered by the enviable records of her sons.

Curiously enough, Sir William Osler, who was to win so much distinction in medicine at Montreal, Baltimore, Oxford and elsewhere, was quoted round the world for an utterance he made at Johns Hopkins in 1905, when he spoke lightly of "the comparative uselessness of men above forty years of age." After years of criticism, he said: "The criticisms have not shaken my conviction that the telling work of the world has been done, and is done, by men under forty years of age." Britton Bath Osler, born in 1839, was one of the most eminent Canadian lawyers of his or any other day. As prosecuting counsel in the state trials arising out of the Riel Rebellion of 1885, the Birchall murder trial at Woodstock in 1890, in the proceedings against McGreevy and Connolly in obedience to the House of Commons, and in the Hyams, Hendershot, Sternaman and other later murder trials, he was the most famous Canadian lawyer of the time. Hon. Featherston Osler, more reserved and detached than his brothers, eminent in law, but not the type that is best fitted for jury work or public appearances, held important posts on the Bench and in the financial world. The surviving brother of the four, Sir Edmund Osler, has been a stock broker for many years, and holds other financial connections of importance, including the presidency of the Dominion Bank. He is still actively in harness at 78. Sir William died in 1919, at 70; B. B. Osler died in 1901, at 62.

Lord Robert Under a New Name.

The Right Hon. Lord Edgar Algernon Robert Cecil, better known under the name of Lord Robert Cecil, who has been elevated to the peerage under the the title of Viscount Cecil of Chetwood, is one of the most staunch supporters of the League of Nations in Great Britain, and has had a seat in the Assembly of the League since its inception.

Lord Robert is the third son of the third Marquis of Salisbury, and was born on September 14, 1864, receiving his education at Eton and University College, Oxford. He married in 1889, Lady Eleanor Lambton, daughter of the second Earl of Durham. He is a lawyer by profession, and was called to the bar of the Inner Temple in 1887, and created a K.C., in 1900.

He has held various offices under different Premiers including those of Parliamentary Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and Minister of Blockade. He was created a Privy Councillor in 1915.

Among his publications are "Principles of Commercial Law" and "Our National Church."

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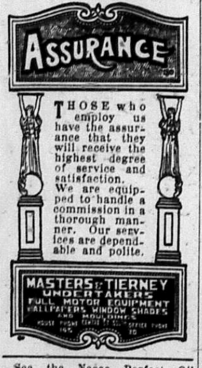

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I. O. O. F. District Meeting.

The annual district meeting of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, was held in Napanee on Wednesday evening, of last week. The meeting was scheduled to be held in Napanee Lodge No. 86, but owing to extensive improvements being made in these rooms the gathering took place in the rooms of Argyll Lodge No. 212. Bro. B. M. Sparks, District Deputy Grand Master, of Enterprise, presided. Representatives were present from Yarker, Tamworth, Enterprise, Odessa, Deseronto and Napanee. Considerable business of importance pertaining to the district was transacted, after which the election of D.D.G.M. for the ensuing year took place Bro. F. W. Barrett, P.G., of Napanee Lodge No. 86, was the only name proposed and he was by an unanimous vote elected to the highest office in the gift of the district. The retiring D.D.G.M. gave an exhaustive report of his stewardship during the past year.

At the conclusion of the business session the members adjourned to the dining hall, where light refreshments were served and a social hour spent in song and story. Tamworth was selected for the place of meeting in 1925.

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St. John's Church, Selby—Matins and Sermon 10.30 a.m.

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Thursday, May 29th, Ascension Day—

St. John's Church, Selby—Solemn Matins and Sermon, 10.30 a.m.

St. Jude's Church, Kingsford—Solemn Vespers and Sermon, 7.30 p.m.

Pie Social.

Moun Pleasant Ladies' Aid are having a Pie Social at Mount Pleasant Church, on Thursday, May 29. Abundant supply of coffee. An excellent programme is being prepared. Admission, Adults 20c. ; Children under 12 years, 10c.

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District Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Napanee District of the Methodist Church was held in the School Room of Trinity Church, on Friday, Rev. A. J. Terrill, chairman, presided. The following ministers were present : Rev. A. J. Terrill, Grace, Napanee ; Rev. W. R. Tanton, Trinity, Napanee ; Rev. W. D. Harrison, Deseronto ; Rev. W. R. Merrick, Morven ; Rev. George Nickle, Newburgh ; Rev. A. C. Hoffman, Bath ; Rev. S. F. Dixon, Odessa ; Rev. A. H. Hoare, Camden East ; Rev. W. H. Clarke, Tamworth ; Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, Selby ; Rev. W. H. Truscott, Bay ; Rev. R. J. Merriman, Enterprise ; Rev. W. J. Down, Yarker ; Rev. C. J. Wilson, Roblin ; Rev. R. Stocker, Cloyne ; Rev. O. Flyndon, Mountain Grove ; and Rev. Perry Scott, Denbigh. Sessions were held both morning and afternoon in which the reports of the several churches in the district were given. The district is in a splendid shape, both financially and numerically, and the ministers are looking forward to the General Conference which will convene at Picton in June.

Blaud's Improved Iron Pills, 2 oz. box for 25c. Splendid for the blood and nerves. For sale at WALLACE'S.

"The Colonel's Maid."

On Friday, May 9th, a most interesting play, enilled "The Colonel's Maid," was presened in the Masonic Hall, Bath, under the auspices of St. John's Church Guild. The hall was filled to capacity, many being unable to gain admission. Those taking part deserve great praise for the splendid manner in which the different characters were sustained, and well earned the hearty applause accorded to them. Mr. L. J. Garvey as "Ching" did his part to perfection. The part of Colonel Rudd was particularly well taken by Mr. G. W. Cuppage. Miss Surch, as "The Maid," was very bright and charming. Mrs. Cuppage was fine as "Aunt Emmeline," also Miss Halpenny, as the "Obedient Daughter." Mr. Gerald Craven as "Bob" was remarkably good. The part of "Colonel Byrd" was well taken by Mr. George Loyst. Mr. R. C. Earl represented "Ned" with great effect, and the "lawyer" creditably taken by Mr. E. G. Green. The music rendered by Walters' orchestra throughout the play was much appreciated. A pleasing feature at the close was the presentation of flowers to the ladies taking part, by three little girls, Madeline White, Madeline Young and Madeline Covert. The members, with the Rector and Mrs. Swayne are to be congratulated upon providing such an excellent entertainment, which by request is being repeated at Bath, Friday evening, May 23rd.

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7.00 p.m.—Evening Service.

Monday, 8.00—Young People's Union.

Wednesday, 7.45 p.m.—Midweek Prayer and Praise service.

Receiver for Lennox Paper.

Montreal, May 17.—On petition of J. H. Walker Company, Limited, the Lennox Paper Mills, operating at Camden East, Ontario, was put into liquidation by the bankruptcy court. Gordon W. Scott was appointed temporary guardian until the meeting of creditors to be held here May 27th.

GREEN TEA IMPORTS LARGER.

Statistics from Ottawa show that in 1923—553,977 pounds more Green Tea were brought into Canada than in 1921, and 906,728 pounds more than in 1922. The reason given is that the fine quality Green Teas of India and Ceylon have displaced the inferior Japan and China Greens which, due to their low price, were imported heavily some years ago. Salada Tea Company is the largest importer of India and Ceylon Green Teas.

The Market Grocery.

This week we have in stock new Cabbage, Lettuce, Onions, Pineapples, mixed Sweet Pickles by the pint or quart, picked Walnuts, Fish Paste, Red Cross Salmon, Norwegian Sardines. A full line of fresh groceries. Special blends of Teas. The highest grade of Coffee, ground from the fresh roasted bean. Tuberous Begonia bulbs in fine colors, Gladfolo bulbs, assorted or named varieties. This store will be closed Monday, May 26th.

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A Pleasant Gathering.

Members of the "Helping Hand Bible Class" of Grace Church and their friends, to the number of about fifty, enjoyed a most pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Sills, Pleasant Valley, on Friday evening. After a couple of pleasant hours had been spent in social intercourse, community singing, and listening to some mirth producing readings, a feast of hot sugar was provided, to which all present did ample justice. The midnight hour came all too soon and the happy gathering dispersed, all voting Mr. and Mrs. Sills a charming host and hostess.

Oddfellows Visit Stirling.

The pretty little town of Stirling, which is located about sixteen miles north of Belleville, was the meeting place for a goodly numbr of Oddfellows on Wednesday evening last. Stirling Lodge No. 239 had issued invitations to Campbellford Lodge and Argyll Lodge, Napanee, to pay pay them a visit, the former to confer the Initiatory Degree and the latter to confer the First Degree. Argyll Lodge degree team left town by motor during the afternoon and were accompanied by some twenty-five members from both Napanee lodges and on reaching Stirling were enertained at dinner at the Kerby House. After the dinner hour the members, having a short time at their disposal, took in the town, and at eight o'clock met in the lodge rooms, where the usual business was transacted. By a special dispensation from the grand master the degrees were conferred at the Opera House, as the lodge room was not large enough to accommodate the large number present. The initiatory degree was conferred on two candidates by the Campbellford degree team, whose work met with generous applause. This was followed by the conferring of the first degree by the Napanee brethren, whose dramatic work and floor work was a revelation to everyone. The team was given an ovation at the close of he degree. The lodge session being concluded, the chairman, Bro. Jetty Thompson, N.G., called upon several of the visiting brethren for addresses. These were followed by light refreshments, and at the close a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the Stirling brethren for their kind invitation and wonderful hospitality.

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JUNE 15th—The 48th Highlanders Regiment, 600 strong, will be here with their two Bands. There will be free Band Concerts in the Parks.

MONDAY, JUNE 16th, MILITARY DAY—In addition to the 48th Regiment, there will be many Regiments from this district here with their Bands, and in the evening a programme of Community dancing is being arranged.

TUESDAY, FRATERNAL DAY—All Fraternal Societies in parade, including three County Orange Lodges, with Ball Games and Horse Races in the afternoon. Grand Pageant and Fireworks at night.

WEDNESDAY—School children parade and sing song with Band Concerts and Ball Game in the afternoon. Fireworks and Pageant at night.

THURSDAY—Industrial Parade with Band Concerts. Horse Races and Sports in the afternoon and dancing on the streets at night.

In addition to the foregoing there will be an Exhibition of Relics in the Armouries, open Tuesday and all day during the week.

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THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKET.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.10½; No. 3 northern, $1.04.

Manitoba Oats—No. 3 C. W., 42c; No. 1 feed, 40½c.

All above c.i.f. bay ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1 to $1.04, f.o.b., shipping points, according to freights.

American Corn—No. 2 yellow, 95c, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Screenings—Standard recleaned, f.o.b. bay ports, per ton $17.

Ontario Oats—No. 2 white, 39c to 41c, according to freight outside.

Peas—No. 2, $1.40 to $1.45, according to freights outside.

Barley—Malting, 65c to 70c, according to freights outside.

Buckwheat — No. 2, according to freights outside, not quoted.

Rye—No. 2, 74c to 78c, according to freights outside.

Manitoba Flour—First patent, $6.10, Toronto, second patent, $5.60, Toronto.

Ontario Flour—90 p.c. patent, $4.75, in jute bags, Montreal prompt shipment; 90 p.c. patent, $4.75, in jute bags, Toronto, prompt shipment, 90 p.c. patent, $4.40, bulk, seaboard, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Carlots, delivered, Montreal freight, bags included, Bran, per ton, $24; shorts, per ton, $26; middlings, per ton, $32; good feed flour, per bag, $1.85.

CATTLE MARKETS

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO, May 19.—The cattle trade at the Union Stock Yards last week was somewhat less active than in the previous period, and this was partly due to slower export buying. As boat space was limited, exporters' demands were less than recently. The offering of cattle was not quite so heavy as in the previous week, and there were several hundred fewer export cattle billed through. Export shipments only amounted to slightly over 1,000 cattle.

Exporters paid from $7.50 to $9 a hundred for choice heavy steers. Packers also took a few loads of heavies up to $8.65 a hundred. Small lots of choice butcher steers sold as high as $8.25 at the opening, but at the close of the week there were a few sales at $7.75. Most of the good to choice steers moved from $6.50 to $7.50. Fat heifers were taken for export from $7.25 to $7.75. Butcher cows were active from $5.50 to $6.50, while medium grades sold from $4 to $5.25. An odd load of stockers brought from $4 to $6, with some feeders selling from $5.50 to $7.50.

Hog receipts were lighter last week, and although salesmen tried to secure higher prices after an early drop they were unsuccessful. Early in the week prices moved down to $7.50 on the fed and watered basis, or $7.70 to $7.90 off cars, and these quotations held for the balance of the week.

There was another slump in veal prices, sales being made anywhere from 50c to $1 a hundred lower. Choice calves closed from $9.00 to $10, with a few up to $10.50.

Few yearling lambs were received last week, and spring lambs were easier. Early in the week spring lambs brought strong prices, but at the close were down $2 a head, selling a range of $8 to $14 each. Sheep were also easier with prices declining $1 a hundred. Choice handyweight sheep sold from $8 to $9.25, and heavies downward to $4.50.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards last night for to-day's market were as follows: Cattle, 6,020; calves, 629; hogs, 2,261; sheep and lambs, 276.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; steady to 5c higher; lightweight show most advance; good shipping demand; bulk good and choice 170 to 325-lb weight, $7.50 to $7.65; top, $7.65; bulk packing sows, $6.50 to $6.95; killing pigs, steady to strong; bulk good and choice, strong weight, $6.40 to $6.60; estimated holdover, 4,500; heavyweight hogs, $7.45 to $7.65; light, $7.20 to $7.65; light light, $6.25 to $7.75; packing sows, smooth, $6.90 to $7.10; packing sows, rough, $6.75 to $6.90.

Cattle — Receipts, 1,000; regaining early decline; better grades fed steers and yearlings generally steady with close week earlier; broad demand; lower grades fat steers, she-stock, stockers and feeders, 15c to 25c higher; latter classes highest of the season; bulls, 25c up; veal calves 50c to 75c higher; extreme top matured steers, $11.90; best yearlings, $11.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; receipts, practically all direct; for week around 19,000; direct; 104 cars feed lots; compared week ago, fat lambs and yearlings, steady to shade higher; sheep, steady to weak; closing shade lower; top fat lambs for week, $15.50; few handyweights, woolled lambs, $17.25; best springers, $17.75.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

BUFFALO, N.Y., May 19.—Receipts, 275; steady.

Calves—Receipts, 100; active; choice, $11 to $11.50; fair to good, $8.50 to $10.50; culls, $6 to $8; heavy, $6 to $8; grassers, $3 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,200; slow, 5c to 10c higher; heavy, mixed and yorkers, $8; light yorkers, $7.25 to $8; pigs, $7.25; roughs, $6.50 to $6.75; stags, $3.60 to $4.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,200; slow; lambs, $7 to $15; yearlings, $8 to $12; wethers, 75c lower, $9 to $9.50; ewes, $1 lower, $3 to $8; mixed sheep, 50c lower, $8.50 to $9.50.

Pattern of Sobriety.

LONDON, May 19.—Amusement, rather than indignation, has been created among members of Parliament at statements made at the National Commercial Temperance Union convention at Leicester concerning alleged excessive drinking in the House of Commons. A resolution urging the same restrictions on drinking in the House of Commons as elsewhere was referred to a special committee of the convention.

There is some talk of bringing the statements to the notice of the Speaker with a request that the offenders be called before the Bar of the House to answer for their assertions, but it is said to be unlikely that any member of the House will give the Leicester gathering this additional publicity. One veteran member of the House declares the present House is the soberest in the history of the British Parliament. Drinking, he says, has declined steadily at Westminster, as elsewhere, in the last 30 years.

WARDEN SHOOTS MEN

Gamekeeper on Private Estate Wounds Two Anglers

Byron McCrodan, of Toronto, Is In a Serious Condition and Edward Rowe, of Cobourg, Is Badly Wounded — William J. Crossen Was Arrested.

COBOURG, May 19.—Shot by a gamekeeper on a private estate near Baltimore, five miles north of here, Byron A. McCrodan, 175 Dunvegan road, Toronto, and Edward Rowe of this town, were seriously wounded at an early hour yesterday morning.

William John Crossen, who fired two shots at practically point-blank range from a .12-gauge shotgun, is held here on $5,000 bail on a charge of wounding with intent to do seriously bodily harm.

Mr. McCrodan, who is factory superintendent and chemist of the Pure Gold Manufacturing Co., Toronto, was removed to Wellesley Hospital, Toronto, where an operation was performed. His condition is said to be very serious, but strong hopes are held out for his recovery.

Mr. Rowe, who dragged himself nearly a mile through the bush after being shot, was able to be removed to his home after treatment at the General Hospital here. His condition is not regarded as dangerous, but he will be confined for some time.

First information of the shooting was received by Dr. Armstrong by telephone about 5 a.m. Sunday. He drove at once to the scene—a private estate and fishing pond owned by William James Crossen, retired manufacturer of this town, who is no relation to the man held—where he discovered McCrodan in the cottage owned by the gamekeeper. Suffering from shock and loss of blood, the victim was unconscious at the time of the doctor's arrival.

After some time spent in searching the vicinity, Dr. Armstrong, who followed a trail of blood, found Rowe, also unconscious, in a ditch by the roadside. Both men were immediately removed to the General Hospital here in Dr. Armstrong's car.

Crossen was taken into custody. Bail was refused until it was discovered that McCrodan's condition permitted of his removal to Toronto. With the consent of the Crown, bail was fixed at $5,000.

Conflicting stories are told as to the shooting. Whereas the wounded men state that they obeyed a command to halt, and were fired upon without warning, the gamekeeper tells the police that he did not shoot until the men attempted to escape. Crossen, the man under arrest, is about 55 years of age, and is said to be unfamiliar with the use of firearms.

According to the story told by McCrodan and Rowe, they were walking through the bush when accosted by Crossen, who ordered them to halt. They were then told to move in a certain direction, and when they did so, they allege, they were fired upon. McCrodan received the contents of one barrel and Rowe the other. Both men fell, McCrodan, the more seriously wounded, being carried by Crossen to his nearby cottage. Rowe dragged himself off through the bush, and Crossen did not know his whereabout when questioned by Dr. Armstrong.

When arrested, despite the formal warning, Crossen related his story to Constable Cousans. He said that he had been keeping watch all night, as there had been considerable poaching upon the estate recently. Shortly before 5 o'clock he discovered McCrodan and Rowe, who were, he says, engaged in fishing. He ordered the men to halt, and demanded their names. Without replying, they started to move off, one man breaking into a run. Not until he saw that the men would escape, he claims, did he fire.

Following the release of Crossen, who had no difficulty in securing bondsmen, Magistrate Floyd fixed the date of the first hearing for a week from Monday—May 26. This action was taken inthe hope that at least one of the wounded men would be able to appear.

Legal officers of the Crown, interviewed last night as to the authority of a gamekeeper to shoot for trespass, stated that inasmuch as trespass is not a crime, a gamekeeper has absolutely no right to shoot such an offender. Even if a trespasser disobeyed an order to halt and attempted to run away, they stated, a gamekeeper or keeper of a property has no right to shoot.

Police Magistrate Is Dead.

MILTON, May 19.—In the death of Police Magistrate Samuel Dice, ex-Mayor of Milton, which occurred at his home, on James street, Sunday evening, after a protracted and painful illness, Halton County, as well as Milton, has lost a prominent and highly esteemed citizen, whose passing away is mourned by people in all walks of life.

Deceased, who was in his eighty-eighth year, was the second son of George Dice, a pioneer farmer of the new survey of the Township of Nelson, in the County of Halton, and was born on the first of January, 1837.

Dine in London; Sleep in Paris.

LONDON, May 19.—Night flights to Paris by after-dinner express aeroplanes travelling at 100 miles an hour are to be attempted in the near future by the New Imperial Airways Limited, to enable business men to dine in London after a day's work and get to Paris at bed-time.

Plans are also being made for a service of big planes equipped with comfortable sleeping berths for flights during the night from London to distant European capitals.

Black Gold wins Kentucky Derby.

Mothers in Chicago make bogey of Beck to frighten children.

Two Men Drowned.

OTTAWA, May 19. — Reports reaching here this morning tell of the drowning of two men, Perry Fitzpatrick of Pembroke, and Johnston of Kirkland Lake, in the Kenojevis river, near Vilmontel. Mr. Fitzpatrick had been interested in the mining business for a number of years, and it is thought that he was on his way into claims of his in the Rouyn district when the accident occurred. No particulars have been received. Mr. Fitzpatrick was about 40 years of age, and is survived by a wife and five children, who live at Pembroke.

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DESERONTO.

Mr. Keith Sharp is disposing of some household effects preparatory to his departure for Detroit, where with Mrs. Sharp and children, he will in future reside.

After a few weeks' visit with friends in Oshawa and Toronto, Mr. R. Sharpe has returned to his home in Deseronto. Mr. Sharpe was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Fred Graham.

The first league game of the season for district No. 1, O.A.L.A. Midget series, was held at the High School grounds on Monday, May 26th, when the Deseronto midgets met the Napanee midges.

Large quanities of cut and engraved glass are being shipped daily from the factory of Clapperton's, Limited, for foreign export.

While returning from a cycling trip to Napanee, Mr. Bert Richardson had the misfortune to suffer an accident which caused serious injury to his shoulder. In turning out to avoid an approaching motor, the wheels of the bicycle slipped on the greasy pavement, causing Mr. Richardson to make a heavy fall, which caused a dislocation of the shoulder blade.

The patrol boat of the Government hatchery, Belleville, visited this territory and deposited a large quantity of fish fry in the Bay of Quinte waters.

Mr. Wm. Hatch has gone with his fine gasoline cruiser, Mildred H., for a cruise as far as Toronto. Mr. Ernest and Prickett accompanied Mr. Hatch on the voyage.

Mr. Alex Bardy, who for the past five months has been undergoing medical treatment at the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, returned on Tuesday to his home on College street.

A largely attended box social and dance was held at the home of Mr. Wm. Brant on Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Tyendinaga Reserve. All who attended report a very enjoyable evening and a handsome amount was added to the funds of the Ladies' Aid.

Mr. Wm. Joyce, who for the past two years has acted as cashier at the Standard Bank, has been transferred to the Colborne agency.

After a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Claus, Edmund street, Mr. Stafford Claus has returned to his work as fireman on the steamer Waubic.

The departure of Mr. Wm. Joyce is generally regretted by the sporting fraternity, as Mr. Joyce always took a very active interest in all sporting events and his abilities as an athlete were well recognized.

Mr. M. McGuinness has disposed of his standard bred racing stallion to Tamworth parties.

Mrs. H. Brockman and children, of Altona, U.S.A., are visitors with Mrs. Brockman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moore.

Word from Mr. D. W. Thompson, a late resident of Deseronto, reports his present location as Mount Clemens, Michigan, where he is undergoing treatment for rheumatism.

The fishermen of the Bay of Quinte and Hay Bay territories appreciate the consideration of the Provincial Fisheries officials for the extending of the whoop net period. The spring season has been very rough and trying for those engaged in this work and the time extension means much to all.

Mr. Thos. Fox has departed with a gang of men for Coe Hill territory, where they will engage in loading telegraph poles and railway ties for the Frontenac Lumber Co.

Mr. Frank Brennin is going in the near future to Sudbury district, where he has engaged with the Frontenac Lumber Co.

The death of Mr. John Harvey occurred on Sunday morning at his home, Dundas street. For many years Mr. Harvey had been an esteemed resident of Deseronto. During the days of the "Big Store" activities he acted as a departmental clerk until the closing of the store by the Rathbun Co. Later in partnership with Mr. M. J. Meagher, he, for a number of years conducted a very successful meat market on Edmund street. When failing health compelled the abondonment of this enterprise he journeyed west, where for a time he conducted a business until again ill health caused his retirement from active business. He returned east and retired to his home in town. Of quiet and unassuming nature he was to all who knew him a true friend, and his many friends mourn with those who have lost a loving son and brother. The community as a whole mourn the loss of an esteemed and desirable citizen.

The Picton town council will introduce a by-law to remove all stalls and curtains from restaurants.

Dr. Ralph Aylsworth, Eye Specialist, is removing his office from Smith's Jewellry Store to Wallace's Drug Store. Appointments may be made at the store. 25-b

NAPANEE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

EXAMINATION REPORT, SPRING TERM, 1924.

First Class Honours, 75 per cent. and over; Second Class, 66 per cent. to 75 per cent.; Third Class, 60 per cent. to 66 per cent.; Pass, from 50 per cent. to 60 per cent. Names of subjects in brackets indicate subjects in which candidate obtained less than 50 per cent. No standing is given for pupils obtaining less than 50 per cent. on the aggregate or who failed on more than three subjects.

FORM IA—LOWER SCHOOL.

First Class Honours—C. Baird, F. Kinkley.

Second Class Honours — W. Carr, H. Baker, D. Caton, K. Gleeson, H. Grange (Alg. Lat.).

Third Class Honours—J. McGraw (Alg..), E. Gibbard (Hist., Alg.), G. Boyes (Alg., Lat.), C. Thompson (Hist., Lat.).

Pass—N. Wood (Alg., Lat.), H. Empey (Comp., Alg.), R. Stevens (Alg., Lat.), F. Ballard (Alg.).

FORM IB—LOWER SCHOOL.

First Class Honours—M. Garrison, J. Burgess, A. Otis, M. Mellow, E. Mills.

Second Class Honours — M. Roblin, I. Miller, J. Carr (Alg.), D. Hogle.

Third Class Honours — L. Spearing (Alg.), R. Dickson (Lit., Hist.), D. Richardson (Alg.), R. Loyst (Art, Hist.), A. Lewis (Alg.), J. Wagar (Alg., Lat. Auth.).

Pass—K. Dickson (Art, Alg.), H. McCracken (Alg., Lat., Comp.), H. Martin (Art, Alg.).

FORM IIA—LOWER SCHOOL.

First Class Honours—A. Wilson, G. Gibson, H. Deline.

Second Class Honours — P. Miller.

Third Class Honours—T. Moffat (Eng. Com., Geom.), G. Gleeson (Arith., Eng. Lit.), A. Cavanaugh (Arith., Phsgy.), H. Daly (Lat. Auth.).

Pass — R. Black (Phsgy., Geom.), C. Fraser (Geom., Fr., Gr.).

FORM IIB—LOWER SCHOOL.

First Class Honours—V. Vanalstine, M. Huyck, M. Corkill.

Second Class Honours — R. Thmpson, R. Sexsmith, L. Allen, A. Asselstine (Eng. Lit.), M. Wagar, R. Dickson (Arith.), D. Anderson.

Third Class Honours — R. Amey, A. Davy, E. Gray (Arith.), E. Aylesworth (Physiography).

Pass—E. Innes (Arith., Physiography), N. Barnhardt (Physiography).

FORM IIIA—MIDDLE SCHOOL.

First Class Honours—L Woods, E. McCormack and P. Henderson equal.

Second Class Honours—G. File, M. Way, R. Cowle, E. Alkenbrack, M. Ham, (Chem.), M. McConnell (Chem.), M. Hawley, J. Paul.

Third Class Honours—C. Garratt, (Phys.), L. Aylsworth (Lit.), F. French (Br. Hist.), W. Reeve (Lat. Auth., Fr. Co[illegible] C. Hammond (Lit., Fr. Co[illegible] P. Denison (Geom.).

Pass—L. Wa[illegible] (French Comp.), C. Reid (Fr. Comp.), B. Sexsmith, L. Sampson (Lat. Auth.), G. Daverne (Geom., Chem.), L. Stevens (Geom., Chem.), M. Rikley (Geom.).

FORM IV—MIDDLE SCHOOL.

First Class Honours—E. Carmichael, E. Smith, A. Walters.

Second Class Honours—O. McMullen, H. Davy.

Third Class Honours—M. Vanalstine, N. Preslar, A. Hill (Anc. Hist., Lat. Comp.).

Pass—A. Walsh (Eng. Lit., Anc. Hist.), M. Garrison, D. Randall (Fr. Anc. Hist.), R. Empey (Eng. Lit., Fr. Auth.), C. Cowle, C. Jackson (Eng. Lit., Anc. Hist.), W. Daly (Eng. Lit., Anc. Hist.), J. Judson (Eng. Lit., Anc. Hist.).

FORM V—UPPER SCHOOL.

First Class Honours—D. Fennell.

Second Class Honours—L. Miller, B. Hudgins, H. Joyce (Alg.).

Third Class Honours — F. Alkenbrack, R. Hudgins, M. Reid.

Pass—G. Winters, G. Smith (Lat. Auth.), G. Withers, E. Pringle (Lit.), E. Armitage (Lat. Auth.), W. Perry (Chem., Lat. Auth.).

COMMERCIAL FORM—FIRST YEAR.

Second Class Honours — E. Younge, C. Gallagher, Evelyn Knight.

Pass—E. Murphy, D. Lucas, L. Graham, M. Roblin, H. Gray.

COMMERCIAL FORM—SECOND YEAR.

First Class Honours—Y. McGraw.

Second Class Honours — M. Blackadder, M. Rogers, L. Murphy

Third Class Honours — R. Holmes.

Pass—L. Clute, N. McKim.

The program of races at Picton's big Victoria Day Celebration next Monday, May 26th, includes a 2.15 class, purse $400.00, 2.20 class, purse $350.00, 2.30 class, purse $350.00, Named Race, purse $300.00. In addition to the races there will be a good ball game, Exhibition drill by the Collegiate Cadets, Lady riders competing for prizes, Children Pony riders competing for prizes and Band Concert by the Hastings and Prince Edward Regimental Band. Take in the Steamer Brockville's Excursion to Picton on that date and enjoy the first boat trip of the season.

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Alberta Forest Fires.

EDMONTON, Alta., May 19.—"This is the worst fire situation I have experienced," said Col. R. H. Palmer, Chief of the Forestry Service in this area, who has just returned to the city from inspecting the forest-fire conditions in the north.

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SEALED Tenders addressed to the Purchasing Agent, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, will be received by him, until **12 o'clock noon (daylight saving), Monday, May 26, 1924,** for the supply of coal for the Dominion Buildings throughout the Province of Ontario, including the City of Ottawa.

Forms of tender with specifications and conditions attached can be obtained from the Purchasing Agent, Department of Public Works, Ottawa; W. Corrigan and R. Winter, General Post Office, Toronto; Power Son and Drever, Kingston, and from the Caretakers of the various Dominion Buildings in Ontario, outside of Ottawa, Toronto and Kingston. Tenders will not be considered unless made on these forms.

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Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 2, 1924.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offrd for sale by Public Auction on SATURDAY, JUNE 7th, 1924, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of T. B. German, solicitor for the Mortgagee, in the said Town of Napanee, subject to a reserve bid, the following property namely:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Ernesttown, in the County of Lennox and Addington and Province of Ontario, and being the Central part of the northerly part of lot Number Fourteen in the fourth concession of the said township of Ernesttown bounded on the south and west by the Public Road together with a part of the north weserly portion of said lot containing in all forty acres, more or less, now in the occupation of the said mortgagor, said last mentioned part being bounded on the south by what is known as the York Road and on the east by a road passing from north to south through said lot. The said lands hereby conveyed being all of that part of said lot owned by said mortgagor and now occupied by him and all that part of said lot formerly owned by the Incorporated Synod of the Diosese of Onario.

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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Section 56, and amending Acts, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Margaret McNeill, late of the Town of Napanee, in the County of Lennox and Addington, spinster, deceased, are required to deliver or send to the undersigned o or before the 31st day of May, A.D., 1924, full particulars of their claims, duly verified.

And further take notice, that after the said 31st day of May, A. D., 1924, the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate, and shall not be liable to any person of whose claims he shall not have received notice at the time of the distribution thereof.

J. E. MADDEN,
Solicitor for the said estate.
Dated this 2nd day of May, 1924. 23-d

SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

There will be offered for sale by Public Auction on THURSDAY, MAY 22nd, 1924, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, at the farm of James R. Denison, being lots 12 and 13 in the 4th concession of the Township of Richmond, the following goods and chattels: 12 milch cows, 3 work horses, 3 spring calves, 40 hens, 1 lumber wagon and box, 1 spring wagon and two seats, 2 top buggies, 2 cutters, 1 long sleigh and box, 1 pair togoggan sleighs, 1 roller, 1 Deering binder, 1 Deering seeder, 1 Massey mower, 1 horse rake, 1 spring tooth cultivator, 1 iron harrow, 2 walking plows, 1 gang plow, 1 disc harrow, 1 corn cultivator, 1 set double harness, 1 set single harness, 1 old spring wagon, 1 grind stone, 1 buffalo robe, 1 hay rack, 2 Wartman pumps, 1 pile stove wood, whiffle trees and neck yokes, pitch forks, household goods and furniture. There will also be offered for sale at the same time and place, unless sooner sold, the Real Estate consisting of the East half of lot number 12 and the West half of the north three-quarters of lot number 13, both in the 4th concession of the Township of Richmond, containing 175 acres more or less, and being all that part of said lots owned and occupied by the said James Ransellar Denison.

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Roland Yorke

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"I'd not treat him so," grumbled Roland, his complaint striving to find relief in words. "Even if the place was gone when I applied, or he thought I'd not suit, he might write to me. It's all very fine for him, kicking up his heels in Paris, and dining magnificently in the restaurants off partridges and champagne, and forgetting a fellow as he forgets me; but if his whole hopes in life lay on the die, he'd remember, I know. If I knew his address over there, I'd drop him another letter and tell him to put me out of suspense. It's a regular shame of him not to acknowledge it, when my heart was set on being able to carry Hamish the cheering news, before he died, that Annabel was provided for. If Dick would only give us a pretty little cottage down yonder and a couple of hundreds a year! It wouldn't be much for Dick to give, and I'd serve him bravely day and night. Annabel says—— Oh, it's you, Miss Rye, is it! Precious cold to-night!"

Miss Rye had come in with the small tea-tray; the servant was busy. She wore a knot of blue ribbon in her hair, and looked otherwise bright. Since a private interview held with Mr. Butterby and George Winter, when they returned to release her from custody, she had appeared like a different woman. Her whole aspect was changed; the sad, despairing fear on her face had given place to a look of rest and hope. Roland had taken occasion to give Mr. Butterby a taste of what that gentleman called "sauce," as to his incurable propensity for apprehending the wrong person, and was advised in return to mind his own business. While Mrs. Jones had been existing since in a chronic state of tartness; for she could not come to the bottom of things, and Alletha betrayed anything but a readiness to enlighten her.

"Have you seen your letter, Mr. Yorke?" said Miss Rye.

"A letter!" exclaimed Roland, starting up with so much alacrity as to throw down the chair, for his hopes suddenly turned to the vainly-expected communication from Sir Vincent. "Where is it? When did it come? Good old Dick!"

It had come just as he went out after dinner, she answered, as she took the letter—which bore a foreign post-mark—from the mantelpiece to hand to him. And eager Roland's spirits went down to zero as he tore it open, for he recognized the writing to be, not Dick Yorke's but Lord Carrick's.

"Oh, come though, it's rather good," said he, running his eyes down the plain and sprawling hand—very much like his own. "Carrick has come out of his troubles; at least, enough of them to show himself by daylight again in the old country; he will be over in London directly. I say, Miss Rye, I'll bring him here, and introduce him to you and Mrs. Jones."

And Miss Rye laughed as she left the room more freely than she had laughed for many a day.

"Perhaps Carrick can put me into something!" self-communed Roland, cutting off the top of his egg, and taking in a half-slice of inch-thick bread and butter at a bite. "I know he'll not want the will when I tell him about Annabel."

The last morsel was eaten, and Roland was on the point of demanding more, for his appetite never failed, when he heard some one come to the house and inquire for Mr. Yorke. Visions of the arrival of Lord Carrick flashed over him; he made a dash to the passage, and very nearly threw down a meek little gentleman, who was being shown into his room.

"Hallo!" said Roland, the corners of his mouth dropping with disappointment. "Is it only you?"

For the visitor was nobody but little Jenner. He had brought a communication from Mr. Greatorex, and took off his hat while he delivered it.

"You are to go back with me to the office at once, if you please, Mr. Yorke. Mr. Greatorex wants you."

"What have I done now?" questioned Roland, anticipative of a reprimand.

"It is not for anything of that sort sir. I believe Sir Vincent Yorke has telegraphed for you to go down to him at Sunny Mead. The despatch said you were to lose no time."

To wash his hands, brush his hair, and put on a superfine coat took but a minute, before he was striding to the office, little Jenner on the run by his side, and to the presence of Mr. Greatorex. The lawyer received him calmly and showed the message from Surrey.

"Sir Vincent Yorke to Mr Greatorex. "Send Roland Yorke down to me by first train. Lose no time."

"Good old Dick!" repeated Roland, in the fullness of his heart. "I thought he'd remember me; and there was I, reproaching him like an ungrateful tom-cat! It is to appoint me to the bailiff's place, Mr. Greatorex."

"Well—it may be," mused Mr. Greatorex. "But I had fancied the post was filled up."

"Not it, sir. Long live Dick! When did he come back from Paris?"

"I know nothing about Sir Vincent's recent movements, Mr. Yorke. You had better be getting to the Waterloo Station. Have you money for the journey?"

"I've got about sevenpence-halfpenny, sir."

Mr. Greatorex took a half-sovereign from his desk, and ten shillings in silver. "I don't know how often the trains run," he observed, "but if you go at once to the station, you will be all right for the first that starts."

Not to the station, let it start as soon as it would, without first seeing Annabel, and telling her of his good fortune. Away up the stairs went Roland, in search of her, leaping over some boxes that stood packed in the hall; and there he encountered Mr. Bede Greatorex. It was four whole days since Roland had met him, and he thought he had never seen a face so changed in the short space of time. Annabel was not at home, Bede said; she had gone to Mr. Channing's.

"You don't look well, sir."

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"Not very, I believe. I am about to try what a month or two's absence will do for me."

"And leave us to old Brown!—thatwill be a nice go!" exclaimed Roland in blank dismay. "But I may not have to stay," he added more brightly, as recollecton returned to him. "Vincent Yorke has telegraphed for me, sir, and I and Mr. Greatorex think that he is about to appoint me his bailiff."

A smile crossed the haggard face of Bede. "I wish you success in it," he kindly said.

"Thank you, sir. And I'm sure I wish you and Mrs. Greatorex heaps of pleasure, and I heartily hope you'll come home strong. Oh! and, Mr. Bede—Carrick's coming back."

Bede nodded in answer. Greatorex & Greatorex knew more of the matter than Roland, since it was they who had intimated to the peer that the coast was now sufficiently clear for him. Roland leaped into a cab, and was taken to Mr. Channing's. He waited in the empty dining-room; and when Annabel came to him, told her hurriedly of what had happened. The cab was waiting at the door, Roland was eager, and her pale cheeks grew rosy with blushes as he talked and held her hands.

"It can't be for anything else, you know, Annabel. He is going to instal me off-hand for certain, or else he would have written and not telegraphed; perhaps the new bailiff (if he did appoint one) has turned out to be no good. There'll be a pretty cottage, I dare-say, its walls all covered with roses and lilies, with two hundred a year; and we shall be as happy as the day's long. You'll not mind trying it, will you?"

No, Annabel whispered, the cheeks deepening to crimson, she would not mind trying it. "I think—"I think—I think, Roland," she added, bending down her pretty face, "that I might have a pupil if I liked; and be well paid for her."

"That's jolly," said Roland. "We might do, with that, if Dick only offered me one hundred. He is uncommonly close-fisted. There'd be a house free, and no end of fruit and garden stuff; and living in the country is very cheap."

"It is Jane Greatorex."

"Oh, she," cried Roland, his countenance falling. "She is a regular little toad, Annabel. I'd not like you to be bothered with her."

"She would be always good with me. Mr. and Mrs. Bede are going away, and Mr. Greatorex does not want us there any longer. He said a few words to me to-day about my returning home to mamma at Helstonleigh and taking Jane with me; that is, if mamma has no objection. He said he would like Jane to be with me better than with any one; and he'd make it worth my while in point of salary."

"Then, Annabel, if you don't object to the young monkey, that's settled, and I shall look upon it that we are as good as married. What a turn in fortune's wheel! Won't I serve Dick with my best blood and marrow! I'll work for him till my arms drop. I say! couldn't I just see Hamish? I'd like to tell him."

He ran softly up the stairs as he spoke. Hamish was in bed; and just now alone, save for Miss Nelly, who had rolled herself up in the counterpane like a ball, her cheek close to his. Roland whispered all the items of good news exultantly: it never occurred to him to think that they might turn out to be castles in the air. A smile, partaking somewhat of the old amused character, flitted across Hamish's wasted but still beautiful face and sat in his blue eyes as he listened.

"You'll leave Annabel especially to me, won't you, Hamish; and wish us both joy and happiness?"

"I wish you both the best wishes I can wish, Roland—God's blessing," was the low, earnest answer. "His blessing through this life and in that to come."

Roland bent his face down to Nelly's to hide its emotion, and began kissing her. His grief for Hamish Channing sometimes showed itself like any girl's.

"I have left you her guardian, Roland."

"Me!" exclaimed Roland, the surprise sending him and his wet eyes bolt upright.

"You and Arthur jointly. You will take care of her interests, I know."

"Oh, Hamish, how good of you! Nelly's guardian! Won't I take care of her! and love her, too.

Hamish smiled. "Not her personal guardian, Roland; her mother will be that. I meant as to her property."

"Never mind; it's all one. Thank you, Hamish, for your trust in me. Oh, I am proud! And mind that you are a good girl, Miss Nelly, now that I shall have the right to call you to order."

Nelly raised her tea-stained face "I'm going away with papa. Heaven is better than this. I want to go there."

"We shall all get there in time, Nelly," observed Roland, in much gloom, "but I wish I could have gone now in his stead. Oh, Hamish, I do! I do indeed! Gerald's black work will never be out of my heart. And there's your book getting its crown of laurels at last, and you not living to wear them!"

The gentle face, bright with a light not of this world, was turned to Roland. "A better crown is waiting for me," he murmured. "My Lord and Master knows how thankfully I shall go to it."

A stamping outside as of an impatient cab-horse on the frosty street, reminded Roland that he was bound on a non-delayable mission. On the stairs he met Annabel, caught hold of her without ceremony, and gave her shrinking face a few farewell kisses.

"Good-bye, darling. When I come back it will be as bailiff of Sunny Mead."

Roland's delay had been just enough to cause him to miss a train, and the evening was considerably later when he was at length deposited at the small station near Sunny Mead. Looking up the road and down the road in the cold moonlight, uncertain which was his way, he found himself accosted by a man in the garb of a groom.

"I beg pardon, sir; are you Mr. Yorke?"

"Yes."

"I've got the dog-cart here, sir."

"Oh, have you?" returned Roland; "I thought Sunny Mead was close to the station."

"It's a matter of ten minutes' walk, sir; but they gave me orders to be down, and wait for every train until you came."

"How long has Sir Vincent been back from Paris?" questioned Roland, as they bowled along.

"From Paris, sir? He haven't been to it; not lately. The accident stopped his going."

"What accident?"

Ah! what accident! Roland's eyes opened to their utmost width with surprise, as he listened to the answer.

"Good heavens! And it was caused, you say, by Gerald Yorke?"

"That it was, sir."

"Why, he's my brother."

"Well, sir, accidents happen unintentional to the best of us," observed the man, striving to be polite. "Some of 'em said that the gentleman didn't show himself cute at handling of a gun."

"I don't believe he ever handled one in his life before," avowed impulsive Roland. "What a fool he must have been! How is Sir Vincent going on? I'm sure I hope it was no great damage."

"Sir Vincent was going on all right till to-day, sir; and as to the damage, it was not thought to be much. We hear now that it has taken a turn for the worse. They talk of erysipelas.'

"Oh, that's nothing," said Roland. "I knew a fellow who got erysipelas in the face at Port Natal till it was as big as a pumpkin, but he did his work all the same. That's it," he mentally decided, as they approached the house. "Poor Dick, confined indoors, can't look after things himself, and is going to put me to do it."

Upon a flat bed, or couch, in the downstairs room, where we saw him breakfasting with Gerald, lay Sir Vincent Yorke, his dog beside him. He held out his hand to greet Roland. Impulsively and rather explosively, that unsophisticated African traveller burst out with regrets on the score of the accident, and the more especially that it should have been caused by Gerald.

"Aye, it was a bad job," said Sir Vincent quietly. "Sit down, Roland. Here, near to me. I am in a good bit of pain, and don't care to talk at a distance."

Roland took the chair pointed to, not a yard off Sir Vincent as he lay, and the two looked at each other. A kind of honest shame was on Roland's face: he was inwardly asking himself how much more disgrace Gerald meant to bring on him.

"I hope you'll soon be about again, Vincent."

"I hoped so, too, until this morning," was Sir Vincent's answer. "My leg was very uneasy all last night, and I sent at daybreak for the surgeon. He came, and was obliged to tell me that an unfavorable change had taken place; in fact, that dangerous symptoms had set in."

"But you can be cured?" cried Roland.

"No, not now."

"Not be cured!" exclaimed Roland, starting up with wild eyes, and hardly knowing what to understand. "Do you mean, that it will be long first?"

"I mean that I shall never be cured at all in this world. Sit down, Roland Yorke, and listen quietly. The wound, regarded at first as a very simple one, and apparently continuing to progress well, has taken a turn for the worse; and must shortly end in death. Now, do be tranquil, old fellow, and listen. You are my heir, you know, Roland."

Roland, constrained to patience and his chair, stared and pulled at his whiskers, and stared again.

"Your heir?"

"Certainly. My heir."

The contingency had never, in the whole course of his life, entered into the imagination of simple Roland.

"The moment the breath goes out of this poor frail body— and the doctors tell me it will not be many more hours in it now—you will be Sir Roland Yorke. The fourth baronet, and the possessor of the Yorke estates—such as they are."

"Oh, my gracious!" uttered Roland. "Do you mean it, Vincent?"

"Mean it! Where are your wits gone, that you need ask? You must know as well as I do that you come next in succession."

"I never thought of it; never once. I don't want it, Vincent, old fellow; I don't indeed. I hope, with all my heart, you'll get well, and hold it for yourself. Oh, Dick, I hope you will!"

Roland had risen and caught the outstretched hand. As Sir Vincent heard the earnest tones, and saw the face of genuine concern shining out in all its guileless simplicity, the tears in the honest eyes, he came to the conclusion that Roland had been somewhat depreciated among them.

"Nothing can save me, Roland; the doctors have pronounced me to be past human skill, and I feel for myself that I am so."

Amidst Roland's general confusion, nothing had struck him more than the change in Vincent's tone. The old, mincing affectation was utterly gone. A man cannot retain such when brought face to face with death.

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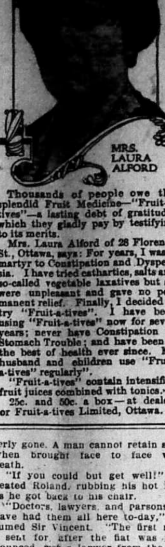

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"If you could but get well!" repeated Roland, rubbing his hot face as he got back to his chair.

"Doctors, lawyers, and parsons—I have had them all here to-day," resumed Sir Vincent. "The first man I sent for, after the fiat was pronounced, was a lawyer from the village hard by; there might not be time, I feared, to get down old Greatorex. He made a short will for me; and it was only when I began to consider what its provisions should be, that I (so to say) remembered you as my heir and successor."

Roland sat, hopelessly listening, unable to take in too much at once.

"The entailed property lapses to you; but there is some, personal and else, at my own disposal. With the exception of a few legacies, I have bequeathed it all to you, Roland—and you'll be poor enough; and I've appointed you sole executor. But I think you will make a better man, as the family's head, than I might have made in the long run; and I am truly glad that it is you to succeed, and not Gerald."

Roland gave a groan.

"I allude to his disposition, which I don't think great things of, and to his propensity for spending," continued Sir Vincent "Gerald would have ever [illegible] the estate mortgaged in a [illegible] of years: I think you will be different. Don't live beyond your means, Roland; that's all."

"I'll try to do my best by everybody," replied Roland. "As to living beyond my means, Annabel will see to that, and take care of me! Dick! Dick! it seems so wicked of me to talk coolly of it, as if I were speculating on your death. I wish you'd try and live! I don't want the estate and the money; I never thought of such a thing as coming in to it. I rushed down here to-night, hoping you were going to make me your bailiff; and I thought how well I'd try to serve you, and what a good fellow you were for doing it."

"Ah," was the dying man's slight comment, as he drew himself a trifle higher in the bed. "You will be master instead of bailiff; that's all the difference. I had just engaged a bailiff when you wrote; and I'd advise you to keep him on, Roland, unless you really feel competent to the management yourself."

"I'll keep him on until I've learnt it; that won't be long first. I must have something to employ my time in, Vincent."

"True; I wish I had had it. An idle man must, almost of necessity, glide into various kinds of mischief—of which debt is one."

"You need not fear debt for me, Vincent," was the earnest answer. "I have lived too long on empty pockets, and earned a crust before I ate it, to have ill ways for money or inclination to spend. Why, my best dress suit has been in pawn these two months; and old Greatorex had to advance me twenty shillings to bring me down here."

Something like a smile flitted over Sir Vincent's lips. He pointed to a desk that stood on a side-table.

"When I am gone, Roland, you can open that; there's a little loose cash in it. It will be enough to repay Greatorex and redeem your clothes."

"But I'd not like to take it, Vincent, thank you. I'd not, indeed."

"Why, man! it will be your own then."

"Oh, well—I never!" cried Roland softly, quite unable to realize his fast-approaching position.

"The danger to some people might lie in being thus suddenly raised from poverty to affluence," remarked Sir Vincent. "It has shipwrecked many a one."

"Don't fear for me, or for the estate either, Vincent. Had this happened some seven or eight years ago, when I was a lazy, conceited, ignorant young fool, nearly as stuck-up as Gerald, I can't say how it might have been. But I went to Port Natal, you know; and I gained my life's lesson there. Vincent," added Roland, bending his face forward in its strange earnestness, and dropping his voice till it was scarcely louder than a whisper, "I learnt in Port Natal that there was another world to live for after this: I learnt that our time was not our own to waste in sin, but God's time, given us to use for the best. A chum of mine out there, named Bartle, was struck down by an accident; the doctor said he'd not live the day out—and he didn't. It was a caution to hear his moans and groans, Vincent. He had not been very bad, as far as I knew, in the ways that the world calls bad; he had only been careless and idle, and wasted his days, and never thought of what was to come after. I wish everybody that's the same had seen him die, Vincent, and heard his dreadful cries for mercy. If ever I forget to remember it, I think God would forget me. I saw many such sudden deaths, and plenty of remorse with them, but none as trying as his. It taught me a lesson: brought me to thought, you know. Don't you fear for me, Vincent; it will be all right, I hope; and if I could ever be so foolhardy as to look at a step on the backward route, Annabel would not let me take it."

Roland had spoken in characteristic oblivion that the case as to the sudden striking down bore so entire an analogy to the one before him. Sir Vincent recalled it to him.

"Yes. Just as it is with me, Roland."

"Oh—but—you've got time yet, you know, Dick," he said, a little confused. "A parson, who was knocking about, over there, in a threadbare coat, came in and saw Bartle, and talked about the thief on the cross. Bartle couldn't see it; his fears didn't let him; you may."

"Yes, yes," replied Sir Vincent, with a half smile, but Roland thought it looked like a peaceful one. "I have had a parson with me also, Roland."

Roland's face lighted up with a kind of reverence. Sir Vincent put out his hand and stroked the dog.

"You'll be kind to him, Roland?"

"Oh, won't I, Dick! What's his name?"

"Spot."

"Here! Spot, Spot!"

"Go, Spot. Go to your future master."

"Come then, old fellow. Spot! Spot!"

The dog made a sudden leap to the sire of Roland at the call, and rubbed his nose against the extended hand.

"I'll be as good to him as if he were a child," spoke Roland, in his earnestness. "See! we are friends already, Vincent."

CHAPTER XLII.

A Wide Black Band on Roland's Hat.

Early in the afternoon and the Waterloo Railway Station. A gentleman got out of a first-class carriage, and made his way to one of the waiting hansoms.

"Stop at the first hatter's you come to," he said to the driver.

Leaping out when his directions were obeyed, he entered the shop, and asked for a mourning band to be put on his hat; a "deep one." You do not need to be told who it was, and what the black band was for. Vincent had died about eight o'clock in the morning. Roland could not be selfish, and the grief and shock brought him by the unexpected death of his cousin Vincent, outweighed every thought of self. He had already tasted some of the fruits of future power. Servants and others had referred to him that morning as the new baronet and their master; his pleasure had been consulted in current matters touching the house and estate, his orders been requested as to the funeral. Roland was head of all now, the sole master. Setting aside the sadness that filled his heart to the exclusion of all else, the very suddenness of the change would prevent him as yet realizing it in his own mind. With the conspicuous band on his hat, stretching up rather above the top of the crown, Roland entered the cab again, and ordered it to the office. There he represented himself to Mr. Greatorex.

"Well?" said the lawyer, turning round from his desk. "So you are back again! What did Sir Vincent want with you? Has he made you his bailiff?"

Roland sadly shook his head. And Mr. Greatorex saw that something was wrong.

"What's amiss?" he hastily inquired.

"If you please, sir, I am Sir Roland now."

"You are what?" exclaimed Mr. Greatorex.

"It's only too true," groaned Roland. "Poor Vincent is dead. Mr. Greatorex, I'd work on all fours for a living to the end of my days if it could bring him to life again. I never thought to come in, I'm sure; and I wouldn't willingly. He died at eight o'clock this morning."

Mr. Greatorex leaned back in his chair and relieved his mind by a pastime he might have caught from Roland—that of staring. Not having heard of Sir Vincent's accident, this assertion of his death sounded only the more surprising. Was Roland telling the truth? He almost questioned it. Roland, perceiving the doubt, gave a summary of particulars, and Mr. Greatorex slowly realized the facts. Sir Roland Yorke! The light-headed, simple-minded clerk, who had been living on a pound a week and working sufficiently hard to get it, suddenly transformed into a powerful baronet! It was like a romance in a child's fairy tale. Mr. Greatorex rose and held out his hand.

"I must congratulate you on your succession, Sir Roland, sad though the events are that have led to it."

"Now, don't! please, don't!" interrupted Roland. "I hope nobody will do that, sir; it sounds like a wrong on poor dead Dick. Oh, I'd bring him to life again if I were able."

"I trust you will make us your men of business, Sir Roland," resumed Mr. Greatorex, still standing. "We have been solicitors to the head of the Yorke family in succession for many years now."

"I'm sure if you will be at the trouble of acting for me, I should like nothing better, sir: bad manners to me if I could have any different thought! And I've put your name and Mr. Bede's down in the list for the funeral, if you'll please attend it. There'll be but a few of us in all. Gerald (though I shouldn't think he will show his face at it), William Yorke, Arthur Channing, two or three of Dick's friends, and you and Mr. Bede. Poor Dick said to me when he was dying not to have the same kind of show he had for his father's funeral, he saw the folly of it now, but the quietest I could order. I think he has gone to heaven, Mr. Greatorex."

But that the subject was a solemn one, Mr. Greatorex had certainly laughed at the quaint simplicity of the concluding senntece One reminiscence in connection with the past funeral rose forcibly in his mind—of the slighting neglect shown to the young man now before him. He, the real heir-presumptive, only that nobody had the wit to think of it, was not deemed good enough to follow his uncle to the grave. But he stood in his place now. Bede would not be able to attend the ceremony, Mr. Greatorex said aloud; he was already in France, having crossed over with his wife by the night mail-train.

"What is the matter with him?" asked Roland. "He looked as ill as he could look yesterday."

"I don't know what the matter is," said Mr. Greatorex. "He has an inward complaint, and I fear it must be making great strides His name will be taken out of the firm to-morrow, and give place to Frank's. It was Bede's own request: it is as if he fears he may never be capable of business again."

"I'm sure I hope he will," cried Roland sympathetically. "About me, Mr. Greatorex? Of course I'd not like to leave you at a pinch; I'll come to the office to-morrow morning and do my work as usual for a day or two, until you've found somebody to replace me. I should like to take this afternoon for myself."

But Mr. Greatorex, with a smile, thought they should not need totrouble Sir Roland; which was no doubt an agreeable intimation; and Roland really had a good deal to do in connection with his new position.

"If I'm not forgetting!" he exclaimed, just as he was taking his departure. "There's the money you lent me, sir; and I thank you for the loan of it."

In taking the sovereign from his pocket, he pulled out several. Mr. Greatorex jokingly remarked that he had apparently no longer need to borrow.

"It is from poor Dick's desk," sadly observed Roland. "He told me there was enough money in it to repay the pound to you and get my clothes out of pawn, and that it would be all my own when he died. Well, what do you think I found there when I opened it to-day?—Nearly a hundred pounds in gold and bank notes!"

"But you have not got all that about you, I hope?"

"Yes, I have, sir; it was safer to bring it up than to leave it. I shall pay it into the banker's. I've got to show myself there, I suppose, and leave my signature in their books; it won't be so neat a one as poor Dick's."

Roland departed. Looking in for a moment at the office as he went out, and announcing himself as Sir Roland Yorke, upon which Mr. Hurst burst out laughing in his face. He dashed in on Mrs. Jones with his news, ate nearly the whole of a shilling Maderia cake that happened to be on the table, while he talked, and made a voluntary promise to that tart and disbelieveing matron to refurnish her house from top to bottom. Then the cab was ordered to the banker's, where his business was satisfactorily adjusted. Gerald's chambers were not far off, and Roland took them next. The servant met him with the bold assertion that his master was out

"Don't bother yourself to deny him, my good man; I saw his face at the window," said Roland, with frankness. "You may safely show me in: I am not a creditor."

"Well, sir, we are obliged to be excessively cautious, just now, and that's the truth," apoligized the man in a tone of confidence. "Mr. Yorke, I think?"

"Sir Roland Yorke," corrected Roland.

"Sir?" returned the man, looking at him as if he thought he saw a lunatic.

"Sir Roland Yorke," was the emphatic repetition. "Have the goodness to announce me."

And the servant opened the room door and did it. As Roland saw Gerald's quick look of surprise, he would, under other circumstances, have shaken in his shoes at the fun. But sadness wholly reigned over him to-day. And—if truth must be told—a terrible aversion to Gerald for his work and its fruits held possession of the new heir.

"Oh, it's you," cried Gerald roughly. "What on earth possessed the fellow?"

"The fellow did right, Gerald. I gave him my name, and he announced it."

"Don't come here with your fool's blabber. He said 'Sir Roland Yorke'."

"And it is what I am."

Gerald's face grew dark with passion. He had an especial dislike to be played with.

"Vincent's dead, Gerald."

"It's a lie."

"Vincent died this morning at eight o'clock," repeated Roland. "I was with him: he telegraphed for me yesterday. Look at this mourning band"—showing his hat—"I've just been to get it put on. Do you think I'd have the face to invent a jest on this subject? Vincent Yorke is dead, poor fellow, and I have come into things as Sir Roland. Not that I can fully believe it myself yet."

The tone of the voice, the deep black band, and a kind of subtle instinct within himself brought conviction of the truth home to Gerald Yorke. Had it been to save his fame, he could not have helped the loud [illegible] his voice, or the dread that took possession of his whole being.

"What—has—he—died—of?"

"The gunshot wound."

A pause. Gerald broke it.

"He was going on well. I heard so only two days ago."

"But it took a sudden turn for the worse, and he is dead."

Gerald's face assumed a tinge as of bluish chalk. Was he to have two lives on his soul? Hamish Channing's had surely been enough for him without Sir Vincent Yorke's. Pushing back his damp hair, he met Roland's steady look, and so made believe to feel nothing, went to the fire, and stirred it gently.

"Why did the doctors let it take this turn?" he asked, flinging down the poker. "It was as simple a wound as ever was given."

"I suppose they'd have helped it if they could."

Another pause.

"Well—of course—as you have succeeded, I must congratulate you," said Gerald stiffly and lamely. Absently, too, for he was buried in thought, reflecting on what an idiotic policy his, to Roland, had been: but this contingency had never occurred to him more than it had to Roland.

"Vincent had a good lot of property that was not entailed," resumed Gerald. "Do you know who he has willed it to? Did he make a will?"

ROLAND YORKE 26. [illegible]

"He made a will yesterday, before telegraphing for me."

Gerald lifted his face with a transient hope.

"I wonder if he has remembered me?"

"I think not. Except some legacies to the servants, and a keepsake for Miss Trehern—his watch and diamond ring, I fancy—he said nobody's name was mentioned in the will but mine. It has not been opened: I thought I'd leave it till after the funeral. I am the executor."

"You!—you don't want his ready money as well as his inheritance," spoke Gerald, in a foam.

"I'm sure I didn't want any of it, I only thought to be his bailiff; but I can't help it if it has come to me," was Roland's quiet answer, as he turned to depart. "Good afternoon, Gerald. I thought it right to call, and tell you of his death: you may like to draw your blinds down."

"Thanks," said Gerald sarcastically.

"You will receive an invitation to the funeral, Gerald. But I'd like to intimate that if you do not care to attend, I shall not look upon it in the light of a slight," added candid Roland, who really spoke in simple good nature. "We shall be enough without you if you'd rather stay away."

Before Gerald's awful rage at the speech was over, for he looked upon it as bestowed in a patronizing light from the new baronet, Roland was vaulting into the waiting cab Gerald had the pleasure of peeping on from the window.

"Sir Roland Yorke!—Sir Roland Yorke!" he spoke aloud in his horrible mortification. "Sunny Mead for his home, and four thousand a year landed property, and heaps of the ready money. Curse the beggar! Curse the shot that has brought him the luck of the inheritance! I'd sell my soul for it to have been mine. I should wear the honors better than he. I wish to heaven he would die to-night!"

And Mr. Gerald Yorke, looking after the receding cab with a dark and sullen countenance, could indeed have sold his soul; if by so doing he might have annihilated his brother and stepped into his place. He was in that precise frame of mind for which some few men in the world's actual history, and a vast many in fiction, have stained their hands with crime for the greed of gain.

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LONDON.

Queer Things About the Big English Metropolis.

How many people know that at one time St. Paul's Cathedral was the resort of the bad characters of the town? Midnight murders were planned there, and certain disappearances arranged. If you wanted any nefarious deed done you had only to go there and find the man to do it.

This is one of the things mentioned by Charles B. Harper in "Queer Things About London."

That, however, was not the St. Paul's of to-day, for such scenes were witnessed only before the cathedral was destroyed by the great fire. We do not, by the way, owe the present St. Paul's entirety to the accident of the great fire. It had already been decided to rebuild the other, and the fire merely saved the trouble of pulling down.

It was in 1710 that the work of Christopher Wren, the architect of the new St. Paul's, was completed. No longer was he to be, as Sarah, Duchess of Marlborough, said, "dragged up and down in a basket two or three times a week for an insignificant £200." She was alluding to his being thus hoisted up and down the scaffolding and his by no means extravagant fee.

One of the strangest museums in London, according to Mr. Harper, is that belonging to the Royal College of Surgeons. It was founded by John Hunter, and contains the skeleton of the Irish giant, O'Brien, which Hunter anatomized. O'Brien was in dread lest the anatomists should obtain his body after his decease, and he arranged that he should be sunk at sea, but Hunter, in spite of that, secured him. There are many similar strange exhibits in this little known museum.

If you look up at the housetops whilst going through the City of London you will see many curious weather-vanes. On the steeple of the Church of St. Mary-le-Bow is a dragon, while the Royal Exchange has a a grasshopper. An old prophecy hints at the danger when the grasshopper and the dragon shall meet. It seems most unlikely that this should ever occur, but it has come to pass more than once without any mishaps. Sixty years ago both were removed and met in the same workshop.

London's streets were once a forest of signs. The name of almost every street was shown pictorially, as in those days few people could read. The houses, too, were not numbered. It was in June, 1764, that the numbering system was introduced. Many of London's old lamp-posts are made from ancient guns. Old Admiral Boscawen was one of the originators of the fashion, for he erected outside his residence two lamp-posts the bases of which were cannon he had captured. A number of such old guns planted upright are still in use as kerbposts. It is curious to observe that the typical kerb-posts distinctly follow the design of the ancient cannon.

Here are some more oddities about London:—

Sackville street, Piccadilly, is the only street in London without a lamp-post, for the lamps are all bracketed from the houses.

The earliest lift in London was installed in the Albert Hall, and was called "the moving room."

The one freehold property in Pall Mall (the rest is held by the crown) was given to Nell Gwynn by Charles II.

A king lies buried at St. Anne's Church, Soho. He was Theodore of Corsica, a kingdom which had been given to him. He came to London in search of financial aid, but only managed to collect £50. He was put in prison for debt and gained his release by registering his kingdom as an asset for the benefit of his creditors. He died penniless in 1756, and was buried by an oilman who paid the expenses of his funeral.

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Many farmers claim hat Higgins' White Hellebore (mixed 1 lb. with 3 lbs. of cement) makes a sure killer for lice on cattle. This brand for sale at WAL-

CLAIMS LANDS IN ARCTIC.

Archipelago Holdings Under Order of Queen Victoria in 1880.

"Two or three islands may be lying around up there unattached, but they will have a hard job finding them under the ice," Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, remarked in respect of the statement of United States Secretary of the Navy Denby to the Naval Committee of the House of Representatives that the American Government was sending the airship Shenandoah to the Arctic to annex new territory to the United States.

Mr. Stewart declared Canada had established her claim to all the territory in the Arctic archipelago. Canadian boundary posts have been placed as far north as it has been possible to erect them. Mr. Denby told the Naval Committee that a foreign power was preparing to map and photograph Arctic territory. According to the Minister, Canada has had in view for some years the possibility of another power seeking to lay claim to some of her territory in the Arctic archipelago, and for that reason has hastened, as far as possible the erection of her posts.

From another source, it is learned that the nation which it has been believed might endeavor to gain sovereignty in the Arctic is Denmark.

Canada claims possession of all the lands in the Arctic archipelago in the first instance under an order of Queen Victoria in 1880, transferring all British territories in North America, with the exception of Newfoundland and her dependencies to the Dominion.

This order stipulated:—

"From and after the first day of September, 1880, all British territories and possessions in North America, not already included within the Dominion of Canada, and all islands adjacent to any of such territories or possessions shall (with the exception of the Colony of Newfoundland and its dependencies), become and be annexed to and form part of the said Dominion of Canada; and become and be subject to the laws for the time being in force in the said Dominion, insofar as such laws may be applicable thereto."

In the second instance Canada claims ownership of the lands by virtue of effective occupation as required by international law. She maintains that she has been effectively administering the territories for years. The police and judiciary have been regularly imposing Canadian law throughout the region. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police have an outpost on the northern extremity of Ellesmere Island and between it and the North Pole there is nothing but wastes of ice.

Irish Tailtean Games.

As may be remembered, some enthusiastic Irish athletes decided to hold Irish Olympic games, known as Tailtean games in 1923.

All through the revolution and the fighting, the committees in charge of affairs held their meetings, and building their hopes upon facts of past history, they thought that they could make history repeat itself, and prevail upon the different factions to stop fighting and killing long enough to hold these games.

This was managed in the year 632 B.C. by the then King Lugh—of the Long Arm—who commemorated the name of his fostermother, Queen Tailte, who being childless, had adopted him.

The games are said to have been one of the three biggest events in the history of Ireland, and to have been affairs of unparalleled splendor, and no matter what fighting was going on, everyone laid down arms to enable the games to go on; taking them up again afterwards.

The games were continued till A.D. 1169, and in a modified way till 1806.

However, the present day promoters of the games found that it was not so easy to make the different warring factions in Ireland lay down their arms for such a special occasion, and so they postponed them till August of this year.

They expect quite an entry list, and the competitors must be youths of Irish birth or parentage.

HINTS FOR HAYMAKING

When to Cut, Tedd, Rake, Coil and Haul In.

Curing Sweet Clover—Harvesting Alfalfa—Handling Red Clover—Timothy Easiest to Cut—Rheumatic Hogs and Their Treatment.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

There is an old saying, "Make hay while the sun shines," with which Prof. Wade Toole of the O. A. College agrees; and fortunate is the farmer who gets sunshine for the job. However, with hay to harvest one cannot always wait for the weather. One of the essentials in the production of good hay is that it be cut at the proper time. It must have sufficient maturity to ensure curing quality, but over maturity means coarse, fibrous, low quality feed. Sweet clover should be cut in the late bud stage. Alfalfa is ready just as it begins to blossom, and the new shoots are starting at the base of the plants. Red clover is handled to best advantage when approximately one-third of the blossoms have turned brown, and timothy just after the second blossom falls.

Curing Sweet Clover.

In curing sweet clover two methods are followed. Perhaps cutting with the binder and stooking up like grain until the crop is dry saves leaves better and gives as good results as can be obtained. Or the crop may be cut down and allowed to lie in the swath for about two days' sun, and then raked into small windrows. If the weather is dry, about three days in the windrow with an occasional tedding makes it ready to harvest. If the weather is catchy it is advisable to coil the crop as soon as it is raked up.

Harvesting Alfalfa.

Alfalfa is more easily cured than sweet clover. If the weather is fine it may be cut in the morning and raked the afternoon of the following day. It must not be allowed to remain exposed to the dew too many nights of bleaching results. After raking, if the sun shines, one more day in the windrow generally makes good hay. If rain threatens coil it up immediately and let it make in the coil. In any event be sure it is dry when harvested, and be careful of the leaves in handling as they constitute the most valuable portion of the feed.

Handling Red Clover Hay.

Red clover is the common clover hay crop. Much of it is allowed to get over-ripe because it then cures more easily. It may be handled in the same manner as alfalfa; but, unless the crop is heavy it does not usually take quite as long to cure. The hayloader has changed methods to some extent. It is good practice to cut one day, tedd the following morning, and rake the next afternoon. If the crop is very heavy it may have to lay over an extra day. It is surprising how much faster hay will make, after it has gone so far, when pulled or rolled into windrows. If it is to be coiled the work should be done soon after raking, and the hay should remain in the coils for a few days to sweat out. However, most of it is drawn out of the windrows and if dry makes good feed.

Timothy is Easiest to Cut.

Timothy is the easiest to cure. If crop and weather are right it may be cut one morning and hauled the next afternoon, and, in fair weather, is always ready by the third day. It is not necessary to coil timothy to cure.

No matter what the hay crop, cut in time, rake as soon as possible to hasten drying, tedd only when green or damp and coil in catchy weather. No doubt alfalfa and red clover may be made into the best hay by coiling, but in good weather this extra work is not necessary, and the loader hastens the harvest.—Dept. of Extension, O. A. College, Guelph.

Rheumatic Hogs.

Rheumatism of swine may affect either the muscular tissue or the joints the muscular form being most common. Most authorities agree that several causes at least predispose to the disease. Exposure to weather is largely responsible for much of it. Infection also plays an important part. The formation within the body of injurious chemical substances may be a cause. A combination of all these doubtless brings the disease.

The first evidence is pain shown by the animal when it moves. A shifting lameness is present. In bad cases food is refused and the hog lies down most of the time. Aside from the pain and lameness, the animal with a mild case, may show no symptoms. If the joints are affected, there usually is a slight fever. Attacks last from several days to two weeks.

Good quarters should be provided, dry with little variation in temperature. Laxatives should be given, and sodium salicylate in bran slop in doses of from half to one teaspoonful two or three times daily. If the animal recovers entirely from the attack, it might be best to market it.

If Udder Leaks Milk.

Leakage of milk from the udder is due to a relaxation of the sphincter muscles of the teats. This is not an infrequent occurrence among heavy milkers. Milking three times a day instead of twice a day relieves the strain on the muscles and will help a great deal. Immerse the teat twice daily in a cold saturated solution of alum. A rubber thimble is often used satisfactorily in severe cases. Application of caustic to the tip of the teat when the cow is dry may prevent leakage after subsequent calving.

It is far better for co-operative societies to be "safe" by seeking and accepting advice and information than to be "sorry" by neglecting to secure it, or ignoring it after it is obtained.

A Happy Town.

An unusual town is Bloemfontein, South Africa, which, unlike other towns or cities of the Union, or for that matter of the world, appears to be in the happy position of having more money than it knows what to do with. Thus at a recent meeting of the Town Council, the chairman of the Finance Committee, announced that the committee had a credit balance of some £20,000, and they wanted authority to invest it. This was accounted for by the delay in the contemplated building of a market.

WOMEN FROM FORTY TO FIFTY

Will Be Interested in Mrs. Thompson's Recovery by Use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Watch for the Salvation Army Self Denial envelopes this week. Remember the thousands in misery and degradation and give largely. 23-a

It's Nae a Fau't, But a Failin'.

Over thirty years ago a monument was unveiled at Ayr, Scotland, to the memory of Robert Burns, the national bard, says a writer in the Toronto Mail and Empire. An incident occurred that day in the presence of the writer that defined in pert eloquence the difference between fault and failing. It forms a neat little story, yet I have never seen it in print, nor ever heard it repeated unless by myself.

On the late afternoon of that day I was waiting for the train at Prestwick (a few miles from Ayr). On its arrival a hand waved from one of the windows. It was my old friend Thompson of the Hamilton Advertiser (Scotland). He had with many others seen and celebrated the unveiling. There was just space for one more in the compartment, making five on each side. They were a right happy bunch. I was introduced all round. Then the popular topic of the day was recommended (Burns), for I fear my coming had been an intrusion, stopping of the continuity of a friendly debate.

One fellow at my left passed the bare remark: "Well, Robin was a great man, but he had his fau(l)ts."

"Burns had nae fau'ts at a'," shouted another.

"Now, John. I'll leave it tae the gentlemen here, that Robin had his fau'ts, like the rest of us, but wis a great man fur a' that."

"A dinna care what the rest o' them think, a still say Burns had nae fau'ts. Gentlemen, it wis jist like this wi' him. Before the sun gangs o'er the hill I'll go an' see ma Jeanie. O, now that's nae fau't, that's a failin'. Am a richt?" Cheers.

A Large Dock.

The largest dock in Great Britain has been started at Shieldhall, on the Clyde, Scotland. The new dock will have an area of forty acres and will take five years to build, it is expected to cost about £2,000,000.

LINES ARE IDENTIFIED.

Authorship of Subscription Above Parliament Building Doorway.

"The wholesome sea is at her gates, her gates both east and west." Who the author is of this superscription carved in the stone over the main doorway of the new Parliament Building, Ottawa, has recently provoked a modest controversy that has extended beyond the boundaries of the capital of the Dominion. An official of the architect's branch of the Department of Public Works, when asked, said he believed it was taken from Kipling's "My Lady of the Snows"; but he was wrong. Other high dignitaries in Government circles ascribed the quotation to various authors of either Canadian or British birth. It was a surprise for officialdom to learn that the author is the crown attorney of Ottawa, J. A. Ritchie, K.C., who has more than a local reputation as a poet and dramatist.

It appears that John Pearson, the architect of the new Parliament Building, wanted an appropriate quotation to greet all who entered the main portal of Canada's chief legislature, and was impressed with "The wholesome sea is at her gates, her gates both east and west," which he found in Mr. Ritchie's poem, "There is a Land," written several years ago.

"I knew nothing of the use of the lines from my poem until long after they had been carved where they now are to be found," said the author, when asked about the matter. "It appears that John Pearson found them not unsuitable for his purpose, and so used them without reference to me. It is only right to say, however, as he himself has told me, that it was not his intention that they should be so nakedly exposed to the eyes of a censorious world as they are to-day—they were to be surrounded by, and more or less discreetly hidden in carvings, of the flora of Canada. The words of many others far greater than I, having some Canadian significance, will be found, similarly dealt with, at various points in the building by the interested or the curious.

"The words in question are of course, a mere statement of an existing fact. It is not unreasonable, however, that we Canadians should trust and be very firm in our resolve that this fact shall remain one, and that the words shall not become a misstatement."

The words of the poem, "There is a Land," follow:

There is a Land that we must love,
  A North Land, wide and fair,
A Land of Pine and Maple trees,
  And beauty everywhere;
And there free hearts have found a
    home
  And space to still be free,
Fronting the morrow confident
  In her high destiny.

When the leaves are crimson,
  When the fields are white,
When the woods are green in Spring,
  Or bathed in Summer light,
Be sure we love her dearly,
  Her woods, her streams, her
    flowers,
This sunny Pine and Maple land,
  This Canada of ours.

And Oh, her skies are bright and
    blue,
  Her waters bright and pure;
There's balm within her forest shades
  All world-worn men to cure;
The wholesome sea is at her gates,
  Her gates both East and West.
Then is it strange that we should love
  This Land, our Land, the best?

When the hills stand dreaming,
  When the Winter's here,
When the slumbering earth awakes,
  Or Summer crowns the year,
Be sure we love her dearly,
  Her woods, her streams, her
    flowers,
This sunny Pine and Maple Land,
  This Canada of ours.

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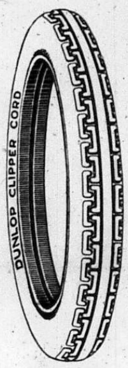

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Mr. Hurrell Huffman has purchased the grocery store on the west side of the market square, from Mr. H. L. Babcock.

There's a big day's sport awaiting you at Picton's big Victoria Day Celebration on Monday, May 26th, and we advise all our readers to take it in.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Public Library, on Tuesday, May 27th, at three o'clock.

The O.T.A. amendment passed at the last session of the Legislature, whereby vehicles carrying liquor may be confiscated by the Police, is now in effect.

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To make delicious, wholesome things,
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Will the many kind friends of Mr. John S. Curle and family please accept their thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness and assistance shown them during the recent illness and death of our dear wife and mother, the late Mrs. John S. Curle ; also for the many beautiful floral tributes.

JOHN S. CURLE & FAMILY.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold their County Convention in John street Presbyterian Church, Belleville, on May 22nd and 23rd. Mrs. J. M. Denyes will be our provincial representative. Rev. A. J. Wilson, of Napanee, will give an address the evening of the 22nd and Rev. Dr. Scott, of Toronto, the evening of the 23rd. Everybody welcome.

The Rt. Rev. The Lord Bishop of Ontario, visited St. John's, Bath, Sunday evening, May 11th, and administered the "Apostolic Rite of Holy Confirmation" to a class of fifteen candidates presented by the rector, Rev. W. G. Swayne. He also admitted Mr. G. W. Cuppage, manager of the Bath Branch of the Royal Bank, to the office of lay reader. Seldom if ever, in its one hundred and thirty-one years of continuous service has this ancient church contained so large a congregation as that which greeted his Lordship, and listened with reverent attention to his eloquent and instructive sermon and his fatherly counsel and advice to the candidates.

MOSCOW NORTH.

A cold wet May, makes lots of wheat and hay. That seems to be the way this spring. The farmers are very much behind with their seeding on account of the rains.

After an illness of about six months there passed to rest on Monday morning Mrs. Hugh O'Reilly. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and five children.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Albertson spent Saturday afternoon at Enterprise.

Mr. Norman Jackson has returned to his home after spending most of the winter at his lumber camp at Harlowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Curl spent Sunday last at Harrowsmith.

Mrs. Cynthia Knapp has returned home after spending a week with friends in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Storey and daughter, of Morven, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wagar.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vanvolkenhburg spent Sunday last at her father's, Fifth Lake.

Mr. Wellesley Coulter spent a few days at Arden.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wagar spent Saturday last at Marlbank.

Mr. Wellington Coulter spent Sunday last with his brother.

Mr. Charlie Reid's two daughters, of Belleville, are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Degroff and Miss Verla Brown spent a day recently at Napanee.

Mrs. Wellesley Coulter returned home after spending some time in Toronto and Hamilton.

Mrs. Wesley Keech was called to the bedside of her brother, who is seriously ill at Marlbank.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jackson, Mrs. Elias Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Wellesley Coulter and Miss Arney spent Sunday last at Mr. James Marlin's, Tamworth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Degroff.

Miss Edna O'Reilly has returned to Montreal Convent, after spending a few days at her father's.

Miss Annastacia O'Reilly returned to Kingston after spending a week at her faher's.

PERSONALS

(All our readers are cordially invited to hand in, or send in, any news they may have for this column).

Mr. Frank Wilson, Ottawa, is renewing acquaintances in Napanee.

Mr. John Vanalstine, St. Catharines, is renewing acquaintances in Napanee for a short time.

Mr. Hugo Gleeson, Toronto University, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gleeson.

Mr. Harold Anderson lef on Saturday for New York for medical treatment. Mr. Arnold Wolfe accompanied him.

Miss Alice Preston has returned from Peublo, Colorada, where she has been visiting her brother for some weeks.

Miss Helen Taylor, New York, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melville Taylor.

Mr. John Stephenson, Ottawa, is renewing acquaintances in Napanee for a few days.

Mrs. D. B. White is visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. W. Davis and daughter, Mrs. Zender, left on Tuesday on a motor trip to New York.

Miss Mary Fraser, Westmount, Que., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Waller.

Mrs. Manson Stevens spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Mrs. T. D'Arcy Sneath returned last week from spending the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Fred Rendell, Sr., is visiting her daughter in Toronto.

Mrs. W. R. Purdy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Hanson, Waukeegan, Mich.

Mrs. Wm. Spencer, Belleville, was the guest of Mrs. Will Dunbar a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson are on a motor trip through New York State.

Mr. J. D. Bell, Hamilton, is renewing acquaintances in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bull, who have been living with Mrs. Bull's mother, Mrs. Trumpour, have returned to Oshawa.

Miss Helen Benn spent the week-end visiting her brother in Cobourg Hospital. Mr. Benn is progressing slowly.

Miss Ruth Gray, Forest Mills, has entered Kingston General Hospital as a nurse-in-training.

Dr. and Mrs. McQuaig, of Trenton, were the guests of Mrs. J. V. Henderson on Saturday, at the Kelly Apartments.

Mrs. J. V. Henderson was a delegate for the Presbyterian W. M.S. to Trenton on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. J. Leckie, of Albany, N.Y., and Mrs. F. Miller and little son, Doc, were the guests of Mrs. Hall for the week-end, at the Kelly Apartments.

At the annual meeting of the Kingston Presbyterial W. ,M. S. held in Trenton on Wednesday and Thursday, Mrs. E. J. Corkill was appointed Literary and Literature Secretary.

MARRIAGES

Babcock—Redden — At Grace Church Parsonage, on Tuesday, May 13th, 1924, by Rev. A. J. Terrill, B.A., B.D., William Kenneth Babcock to Gretta May Redden, both of Wilton.

Pybus—Zenoli—At the home of Edward Vine, Jr., Napanee, on Wednesday, April 30th, 1924, by the Rev. A. J. Terrill, B.A., B.D., Thomas Pybus, Esq., to Margaret Zenoli, both of Napanee.

DEATHS

Brandon — At Richmond, on Saturday, May 17th, 1924, Thos. Brandon, aged 83 years, 2 days.

Curle—At North Fredericksburgh, on Thursday, April 24th, 1924, Ann Close, beloved wife of John S. Curle, aged 83 years, 4 months.

Perry—At Camp Rathbun farm, Deseronto, on Sunday, May 18th, 1924, Gwendolin Evelyn, infant daughter of Hugh B. and Wiletta Perry, aged 2 months.

Russell—At Richmond, on Friday, May 16th, 1924, Joseph Nelson Russell, aged 86 years, 7 months, 17 days.

Chi Namel.

Demonstration Friday and Saturday, May 23rd and 24th, at BOYLE & SON'S. See it. 25-a

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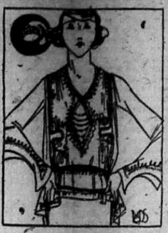

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